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PRESIDENT TAFT CARRIES POINT

Persuades House to Strike Out Amendment to Sundry Civil Bill Asked by Labor Organizations

TO GIVE IMMUNITY FROM SHERMAN LAW

Says it Would Be Class Legislation of Improper Kind—Several Organizations Send Protests

WASHINGTON, June 23.—Labor organizations have lost their fight to gain exemption from prosecution under the anti-trust and interstate commerce laws. Following a lively debate, and by a vote of 138 to 136, the house today agreed to the senate action striking out the Hughes amendment to the sundry civil bill that would have effected their immunity.

The action of the House of Representatives in receding from the Hughes amendment marked the successful termination of an all day fight by President Taft against what he termed class legislation of an improper sort, and apparently removed the last real obstacle in the way of an adjournment of congress within the next few days. President Taft spent the entire day and bent every energy toward the defeat of every amendment which proposed to exempt labor unions from the operation of the Sherman anti-trust law. He threw his whole influence into the fight, sending for several scores of representatives and urging them to defeat the amendment. Mr. Taft declared that if it cost him the support of every laboring man in the country, he would not approve such a provision. The laboring man he believed asked only equality before the law, and was entitled to no more.

Incidentally the president sent a long telegram tonight to the convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers meeting at St. Paul, in which he outlined his views on the matter. The telegram was in response to a message of protest from the convention. For several days past the White house has been bombarded with telegrams from labor organizations in favor of the house amendment. The messages made public tonight were as follows:

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SOLVES MYSTERY OF ITALIAN LAKE

Porter Charlton Confesses That He Murdered His Wife at Lake Como—Is Under Arrest at Hoboken, N.J.

NEW YORK, June 23.—The Lake Como murder mystery is solved. Porter Charlton, an American youth of good family, sought by the police of two continents, was arrested in Hoboken, N. J., shortly before noon today as he stepped from the North German Lloyd liner Princess Irene. In less than an hour he had confessed without a tremor that in a fit of temper he had beaten his wife into insensibility with a mallet, jammed her into a trunk, and sunk it in the Italian lake. She was Mary Scott Castle of San Francisco, a woman eight years his senior, divorced wife of Neville H. Castle, a San Francisco lawyer.

Charlton is only 21 and a son of Judge Paul Charlton, law officer of the bureau of insular affairs at Washington and a classmate of President Taft at Yale. The boy married Mrs. Castle

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in Wilmington, Del., last spring over his parents' protests. Ill-mated and both erratic of temperament, they sailed for Italy for their honeymoon. The murder brought it to an end and her body was found in the lake by fishermen on June 10.

Meeting from Italy under an assumed name, almost penniless, and shabby of dress, Charlton on landing ran straight into the arms of Capt. Henry Harrison Scott, U. S. A., the murdered wife's brother. He was taken to police headquarters at Hoboken where, after a pitiable collapse, so spasmodic that it produced extreme nausea, he regained his composure and unflinchingly signed the confession. Tonight he is in Hoboken jail pending settlement of the complicated problem of extradition brought about by his arrest.

Professor of Mining
TORONTO, June 23.—The University of Toronto, recognizing the development of mining in Canada and the necessity for better training for young foreigners, has added to the university staff a professor of mining by the appointment of H. E. T. Haultain.

Ended His Life.

VANCOUVER, June 23.—This morning A. E. Selfe, an Englishman of about 25 years of age and of refined appearance ended his life in his room at a down town hotel with a revolver, while down in the hotel office his brother was waiting to see him, ignorant of the tragedy that had taken place above. Mr. Selfe, who is in business with his brother in Victoria came here a few days ago to attend to some of the firm's affairs. He had been known to be in failing health for some time, and quite recently he consulted a doctor, who without telling him his trouble warned him to be careful. It is presumed that this must have preyed on the young man's mind and led him to commit the rash act which ended his existence. His brother has taken charge of the remains, which will be removed to Victoria.

CANADA'S RULES ON IMMIGRATION

Under Colonial Secretary Makes Statement in House of Commons—Early Grey's Tribute to Cecil Rhodes

LONDON, June 23.—In the Commons Under Colonial Secretary Seely informed Kinloch Cooke, Conservative member for Devonport, that the immigration arrangements of the Canadian government did not conflict. Immigration facilities were specially provided for by acts of parliament. The regulations which imposed certain restrictions on child immigration, however, were not made known here in sufficient time to enable agents in all cases to adapt their arrangements to the new conditions.

Speaking at the Rhodes dinner, Earl Grey referred to the work of Cecil Rhodes. It was Rhodes who said that if only the federation of Australia, South Africa and Canada could be secured, the way would be paved for federation of the empire. Had Rhodes lived, he would have been another Alexander Hamilton in empire influence. Rhodes, Earl Grey said, had been an inspiring influence in his life.

TRAIN STRIKES COWS

Wreck of Several Box Cars on Okanagan Branch—Line Cleared Next Day.

VERNON, June 23.—Several box cars were completely demolished and their contents, consisting of merchandise, scattered over a right-of-way for many yards as the result of a collision between the southbound freight from Sicamous and a herd of cattle about two miles north of Okanagan Landing late Tuesday night.

The cows crossed the track right under the pilot of the engine. The locomotive and tender mounted over three of the animals, but the lighter box cars behind the tender balked at the hurdle. They piled up on one another in a heap, car telescoping car, resulting in a bad wreck. A wrecking train was despatched from Revelstoke to the scene of the accident, but it was three o'clock yesterday afternoon before the line was clear.

GEORGE LEESON DEAD

Was Prominent Resident of Calgary, Well Known Throughout Western Canada.

CALGARY, June 23.—George Leeson, a prominent resident of this city, and widely known throughout Western Canada, died today. Mr. Leeson has lived here for many years, holding a large amount of property in and around the city. At the time of the second Riel rebellion he did much transportation business for the government, being then a resident of Qu'Appelle. Of late years he has been noted as a breeder of horses and has also been largely interested in the Alberta petroleum discoveries. Mr. Leeson was a native of Lanark county, Ontario. He was well known at the coast, especially in Victoria, which place he has often visited.

Parkville Man Killed.

NANAIMO, June 23.—George Hutchins of Parkville was fatally injured Tuesday afternoon while engaged in land clearing operations. Hutchins was employed at Ford's camp near French Creek and was engaged in pulling when a large log rolled over on him, crushing his head and causing injuries that caused his death a short time later. Deceased was well known in the district. He was a son-in-law of Mr. Crump a well knowing farmer in Qu'Appelle and is survived by a wife and several children.

IMPLEMENTS THE RAILWAY MEASURE

Attorney General Completes Execution of Legal Documents Embodying Guarantee Granted Railway

GIVEN FIRST MORTGAGE ON C.N.R. PROPERTIES

Document Delivered by Railway to Trust Companies Acting for Province—How Guarantee Is Arranged

Attorney-General Bowser yesterday morning completed, in his dual capacity of attorney-general and finance minister, what is probably the most important detail task yet devolving upon a crown minister of British Columbia, namely, the formal execution of the various legal documents embodying and implementing the guarantees granted by the province to secure construction through British Columbia of the Canadian Northern Pacific railway, as an integral portion of the Canadian Northern transcontinental system through to a final Pacific terminus on Barkley Sound.

Under the agreement with the Canadian Northern railway company embodied in the legislation of last session, the incorporation was provided for the subsidiary Canadian Northern Pacific railway company, and assurance was given that this independent company would covenant with the government of British Columbia to carry out all the obligations accepted by the Canadian Northern railway in the tentative agreement, save one except those which necessarily are required to be observed permanently by the parent company.

Provided for in Bill.

The provision for the acceptance of the original agreement by the Pacific company is contained in paragraph (K) of section 7 of the bill of last session, which paragraph reads: "The Pacific company shall, by the trust indenture or indentures hereinafter mentioned, or by other instrument, covenant and undertake with the government to accept the terms, covenants, and conditions of this contract, and to construct the several works, make the several payments and do the several things which under this agreement are to be constructed." (Continued On Page Two.)

PRINTING BUREAU IS INVESTIGATED

Secretary of State Giving Personal Attention to Allegations of Irregularity in Conduct of Institution

OTTAWA, June 23.—Hon. Charles Murphy, secretary of state, is making a thorough inspection of the government printing bureau, which comes under his administrative jurisdiction. Rumors are abroad in the institution that Mr. Murphy's visit is not wholly to acquaint himself with the general mechanical operation of the institution, but that certain matters and persons are the subject of investigation on the strength of intimations that some prevailing conditions are not as they should be.

The investigation opened when one of the higher officials was missing and has now continued four days. Some dozen persons are making explanations. Suspensions have been made and dismissals will follow. The affair arises over the supplies for the institution.

SEVEN PEERAGES CONFERRED BY KING

List of Birthday Honors Is Somewhat Lengthy—Sir Christopher Furness Is Made a Lord

LONDON, June 23.—Seven peerages were created today in honor of the birthday of King George, which will be celebrated tomorrow although the King was born on June 3. The new peers include Sir Walter Foster, a noted physician and member of parliament, Sir Westman Dickinson Pearson and Sir Christopher Furness. Sir Christopher is the great ship-owner who as a Liberal has represented the constituency of Hartlepool in parliament since 1906. He was unseated last May by the court and his election declared void on the ground that there had been illegal payments through his agents. The court stat-

ed that Sir Christopher was not personally guilty of corrupt practices, but that he must suffer for the acts of the agents. He was re-elected. Among the baronets created today is Harold Harnsworth, brother of Lord Northcliffe. The long list of knights includes A. T. Quiller Couch, the author.

Vain Search for Murderer

HOUSTON, Texas, June 23.—Chief of Police Ellis, of this city, and Chief of Detectives Carney of Louisville, Ky., returned here today from San Antonio where they have been for two days on a fruitless quest for Joseph Wendling, wanted in Louisville on the charge of killing eight-year-old Alma Kellner. The officers are convinced that the report that he was on a ranch near San Antonio is untrue.

Deaths Caused by Heat

PHILADELPHIA, June 23.—Excessive heat today was responsible for two suicides, two deaths by accident and fifteen other deaths caused by heat prostrations.

NEW YORK, June 23.—The fifth day of hot weather, with a maximum temperature of 91, caused ten deaths in New York today. The local forecast holds out little hope for a change tomorrow.

No Langford-Ketchel Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 23.—The Langford-Ketchel fight was declared off today by Promoter Tom O'Day, of Hester and O'Day, who hoped to stage the battle at Reno on July 4th. O'Day on behalf of the promoters, announced that the failure of Ketchel and his manager to post the forfeit at noon today and the fact that he had learned that Ketchel could not hope to condition himself for a fight on July 4 had led him to declare the bout off.

RENO, June 23.—Promoter Sid Hester confirmed the announcement given out by Tom O'Day in San Francisco concerning the calling off of the Langford-Ketchel bout.

CLAIM OF U.S. IS NOT MODEST

Former Senator Turner Argues Before Fisheries Tribunal That American Fishermen Not Subject to Regulations

THE HAGUE, June 23.—Continuing his argument before the fisheries tribunal yesterday, former Senator Turner, on behalf of the United States outlined the negotiations preceding the treaty of 1818. He pointed out that the treaty was almost entirely conformable to the draft presented by the American negotiators, and the contents of the treaty implied that Americans' right to fish already existing in 1783 was maintained in perpetuity by that treaty. The United States had not renounced its fishing rights in all the bays of the British possessions but only in territorial bays.

In respect to the regulation of fisheries he held that the United States should regulate fisheries by common agreement with Great Britain, and should have a share in the enforcement of such regulations. Great Britain had no right to limit American fishermen in regard to the time or manner of fishing.

Mr. Turner maintained that the treaty of 1818 limited the sovereignty of Great Britain in regard to coastal fisheries, and the contention that British legislation and the British constitution furnished guarantees against the United States being unjustly treated by British colonies was irrelevant. Mr. Turner argued that the treaty gave the United States certain advantages in perpetuity which were not subject to control, diminution or restriction, and that numerous authorities in support of the argument.

In continuing his argument today Mr. Turner again dwelt on the claim that the United States had the right to exercise equal power with Great Britain, and quoted from legal works of the United States in support of this contention. Mr. Turner insisted that if the right to fish was subject to the will or pleasure of Great Britain it was no right at all. He asserted that Great Britain would never be allowed to set at defiance the wishes of the United States.

AS TO RECIPROCITY

Suggestion Is Offered That United States Should Lower Its Tariff—Wall.

MONTREAL, June 23.—In his rethring address as president of the local branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' association, Wm. Caldwell, of the Caldwell Paper Co., in referring to trade relations between Canada and the United States, said in part:

"You are all aware that the existing tariff of the United States is, on an average, 25 per cent. higher than the Canadian tariff on dutiable goods. If the United States are sincere in their professions of friendship, and in their desire for closer trade relations, let them first show it in a practical way by reducing their tariff to the level of ours."

"The adoption of a reciprocal trade treaty with the United States would be premature as far as Canada is concerned, in my opinion, and I believe from observations, and from information gained in trips from Halifax to Vancouver, that I voice the opinion of the majority of the people of Canada."

Killed in Auto Wreck

NICE, France, June 23.—An automobile occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Americans, and Mme. Mathelet, ran into a ditch and was overturned near Castellane in the department of Basses-Alpes today. Madame Mathelet was killed and Mr. Henry badly injured. The latter's wife escaped unhurt.

TIMELY RAINS WILL AID CROP

Many Parts of Prairie Provinces Benefit From Breaking of Drought—Rainfall Heavy in Places

INDICATIONS OF MORE WET WEATHER

Alberta Government's Reports Show That Rapid Expansion of Agriculture Touches Small Part of Province

WINNIPEG, June 23.—Reports received this morning indicate that there was a very heavy rain in the Memnonite reserve and around Ochre river last night. Southern Alberta had a good shower, and it is still raining at some of the principal towns throughout that province. At Kamack there was a good rain, which still continued, and at Qu'Appelle there was one of the heaviest rains in the history of the valley. There was a good heavy shower at the Portage plains, and all through southern Manitoba.

Small Part Touched.

CALGARY, June 23.—Although over a thousand power plows and probably twenty thousand teams have for the past several months been at work for 12 to 16 hours daily breaking prairie and backsetting in Alberta, the provincial government reports show that only one per cent. of the total area of the province is now under cultivation. This statement, which is most striking, is in the opinion of all proof positive that the Canadian west will become, in a few years, the world's greatest wheat district, elevating Canada to the first place among wheat-producing countries. In the Calgary district warm rain followed the downpour of Sunday night and Monday morning. Lethbridge reports heavy rain all morning. Points south as far as Macleod report steady rain during the morning, following the showers of last night. Red Deer reports heavy rains. It therefore appears that rain is general throughout southern and central Alberta. Conditions are favorable for a continuance of the wet weather.

MR. BORDEN ENDS HIS ONTARIO TOUR

Addresses Large Gathering at Port Perry—Notable Demonstration in Honor of Conservative Leader

PORT PERRY, ONT., June 23.—R. L. Borden concluded his Ontario tour by addressing a large gathering here this afternoon. Mr. Borden's visit was made the occasion for a double demonstration, the village being decorated with banners and the 48th Highlanders' band being brought from Etobicoke. With Mr. Borden was W. S. Middlebro, the federal member for North Grey. Mr. Borden devoted his attention to the transcontinental railway and the collapse of the Quebec bridge, which he claims have needlessly added millions to the country's burdens.

CAUGHT IN WRECKAGE

Architect and Workmen Injured by Collapse of Floor in Brandon Building.

BRANDON, Man., June 23.—W. H. Shillingham, an architect, at noon today narrowly escaped instant death in the collapse of the top floor of the Nation and Shewan department store, Shillingham, formerly city engineer, is the architect in charge of the work of alterations of Nation and Shewan's block, where another story is being added to the present establishment. He was inspecting the work when the floor fell and he was buried beneath the debris. Workmen hurriedly dug him out. He was badly bruised, but conscious, and was removed to his hotel. It was learned that four persons were badly injured. One man had his hip fractured, and all were severely cut and bruised. The building was undergoing alterations at the time. The going alterations at the time. The section where the accident occurred was in the hands of the contractors. Had it been open for business there would probably have been many more on the list of injured.

Fire at Halifax Station

HALIFAX, June 23.—The fire department were in control of a serious blaze at the I. C. R. passenger station at half an hour after a fire broke out, but the building where the flames started was wiped out. This was a wooden structure 150 feet long on the eastern side of the station, where old supplies and oil lamps are stored. The wind carried the flames away from the station, and this contributed to save the building, which was full of trains of cars ready to pull out in the morning. The promptness of the fire department was noteworthy.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR PUBLICITY OUTING

Trips to Sproat Lake and Barkley Sound District to Be Taken By the Development League Delegates

Arrangements are practically complete for the holding of the annual meeting of the Vancouver Island Development League at Alberni on July 15th. The meeting will convene at 10 a.m. in Old Alberni. If an afternoon session is necessary, it will be held in Port Alberni. A portion of the day will be passed by the delegates in looking over the two townships. On July 16th a number of autos will bring the delegates to Stamp Falls and from there to Sproat Lake, where a picnic will be held. On the 17th prox., through arrangements made with the C. P. R., a trip will be taken down the canal on the steamer Tees, and various districts in the Barkley Sound district visited. Alberni has guaranteed seventy-five passengers for the excursion on the Tees, and it is anticipated that as many more from Victoria and other island points will make the voyage. Everyone interested in island development is invited to the annual meeting, and it is anticipated that fully a hundred will make the trip from this city. The journey from here will be made by railroad as far as construction has been proceeded with in the vicinity of Cameron lake and from thence to Alberni by rigs and autos.

OBJECTIONS TO COMPANIES ACT

Victoria and Vancouver Trade Delegations to Ask Government to Withhold Prosecution Under New Measure

Strong representations looking to the suspension of prosecution under the Companies Act until the next session of the local house, when the measure can be amended to meet the views of mercantile interests in the province are about to be made to the government. Today in Vancouver the Hon. W. J. Bowser is meeting a deputation of the Vancouver board of trade when he will be asked to suspend any action for the recovery of the penalties under the act, and further asked that pending the next meeting of the provincial house an opportunity should be given to the different boards of trade in the province to discuss the matter with the executive with a view to preparing some amendment to the act. Those mercantile interests in the province who have been heard from the matter consider that the act imposes undue and onerous restrictions on trade with and in the province. In the meantime the local board of trade has asked Premier McBride to appoint a time when he will meet a delegation when the same objections will be advanced to him as those to be presented to Mr. Bowser in Vancouver today. The local delegation to wait on the premier will probably be a large one, as at the last monthly meeting of the board all the members were appointed as a delegation to wait on the government in respect of the Companies Act.

SCOUTS GAVE AN EXHIBITION

Esquimalt Troop Seen at Annual Garden Party of St. Paul's Church — Presentation Made

The annual garden party and sale of work held under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, took place yesterday afternoon and evening at the rectory, Esquimalt road. The affair was a grand success, and crowds of the church's friends thronged the beautiful grounds of the rectory during the whole of the afternoon and evening. The trees were hung with numerous Chinese lanterns, and when they were lighted, as darkness crept on, the scene presented was a veritable fairy land, with the crowds of little children and many people playing among the trees.

During the latter part of the afternoon the Boy Scouts, F. troop, of Esquimalt, gave an exhibition for the benefit of those present, and to show them what has been accomplished in this line since this troop has been formed.

F. troop, Esquimalt, was organized in April last, under the command of Scout Master Slingsby. He has been devoting a large part of his time to their training, and as a result of this they have accomplished much. Yesterday they turned out to the number of 25 and gave an exhibition of manual exercises with their staves, and then dispersed through the trees of the spacious garden of the rectory they gave a miniature example of skirmishing and attacking in the field.

On the conclusion of this they took up their positions at the miniature rifle range on the lawn. In the first round Scouts Lee and Jones tied for the win, but in the final, which was shot off, the former won with the score of 12 points out of a possible 15. The winner was presented by Mrs. Hall, wife of Col. Hall, the chief of the combined Victoria Scouts, with a beautiful cup, the present of the committee in charge of the range on the grounds.

The most pleasing event in connection with the proceedings was the presentation of a purse and address to Mr. Andrews, who has been connected with the St. Paul's church for a period of 40 years and has served in the capacity of church organist for almost that length of time. He is one of the most highly respected men in the parish and by the interest he has always taken in the work of the church, has endeared himself to all with whom he has come into contact. Rev. W. W. Bolton made the presentation in behalf of the church.

IMPLEMENTS THE RAILWAY MEASURE

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paid or done by the Pacific company, all in accordance with the several terms and provisions hereof; whereupon, and upon the execution of the lines and terminals hereby agreed to be built, provided within the terms of this agreement, the Northern company shall be relieved from its covenants herein, except as agreed in paragraph 6 and sub-paragraphs (g), (h), and (i) of this paragraph, and in paragraphs 8 and 17 hereof.

Some of the Provisions.
One of the obligations as to control of rates is one of these; that as to the establishment of car works in the vicinity of Victoria is another; that as to the establishment and continuous operation of a fast Island-Mainland ferry is a third, both companies are equally bound in this connection; while paragraph (1) embodies the Canadian Northern's indemnification of the government against possible lost expenditure as hereunder: "The Canadian Northern Railway company agrees to indemnify the government against all payments which it may make under the terms of this agreement, and against all loss which it may be put to so far as the same shall be repayable by the Pacific company hereunder, and against all interest which this agreement provides the Pacific company will repay, and against all costs to which the government may be put in enforcing its securities hereunder as and when the same are payable, repayable, or incurred."

The province has also received a first mortgage covering all properties whatsoever of the Canadian Northern Pacific railway company, given by that corporation to the National Trust company of Toronto and the British Empire Trust company of London, acting in behalf of the province of British Columbia.

The guarantee certificate and sundry other documents have now been signed for the government by Finance Minister Bowser and were yesterday afternoon delivered to the Canadian Bank of Commerce for transfer to Toronto.

The Guarantee.
Then, upon the handing over to the representatives of the government, a specific guarantee against the utilization in any capacity of Asiatic labor (in accordance with the assurance in this behalf advanced given by Mr. William Mackenzie) and the delivery to and deposit with the Canadian Bank of Commerce of \$21,000,000 worth of bonds or debentures of the railway company, the provincial government guarantee will be handed over to the railway builders and the trust mortgage will be registered here with the registrar general of British Columbia, to cover all the assets of the company; the latter, in both respects, personal, inclusive of the ferry, upon which also a marine mortgage will probably also be affected.

As the guaranteed bonds are negotiated by the Canadian Northern managers—it is not expected that any bonds or debentures will be offered for sale just at present, being merely deposited as collateral securities to obtain required loans—the proceeds will be paid in to a special account at the Canadian Bank of Commerce and checked out from time to time by the provincial minister of finance upon the provincial engineer's certificates on construction progress.

It is expected that the Canadian Northern lines provided for will somewhat exceed the 600 miles estimate (by approximately 50 miles, inclusive of the Kamloops city connection) the addition in mileage being necessitated by slight deviations in the route, to obtain the demanded low gradient on the North Thompson river section.

To Take Holiday.

Having completed his formidable task in seeing that all the guarantees of the province are fully and legally protected, Hon. Mr. Bowser is now preparing to enjoy a much-needed and well-earned vacation. He will leave next week for Lillooet district, where he proposes to lose himself in the wilds during the whole of July, deliberately leaving neither mail nor telegraphic address. The premier's tour through Cariboo to Fort George and Tete Jaune Cache will be postponed until his lieutenant's return, and is now set for late August, as Hon. Mr. McBride desires particularly to be at this capital to extend a welcome to Sir Wilfrid Laurier when the Dominion premier pays the coast his visit.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Heisterman
The remains of Berneice Randolph Heisterman, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the family residence at 2:30 p.m., and later at Ross Bay cemetery. Appropriate services were conducted by the Rev. A. J. Doual at the house and grave.

Ede

The funeral of the late Mrs. Blanche Ede took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Ede, Blanchard street, at 2:30 p.m. An impressive service was conducted by Rev. A. Henderson at the house and also at the graveside. The following hymns were sung: "There is a Land That is Fairer Than Day" and "Jesus Lover of My Soul." There was a large attendance of friends and many floral tributes were presented. A large number of old-timers were present at the funeral for the deceased had resided in the city for a very long time. The following acted as pallbearers: Fred. Carney, J. T. Jones, J. Sellick, A. Blockley, W. W. Ralph and E. Helliger.

TO SAFEGUARD COAL MINES

Obvious Regulations in Interest of Employees to Be Imposed in Amendment to Act at Next Session

Mr. R. F. Tomlin, deputy minister of mines, has returned to the capital, accompanied by Chief Mine Inspector F. H. Shepherd, with whom he has been visiting all the coal mining centres of the province, obtaining practical suggestions and information with a view to the betterment in amendments promised next session, of the Coal Mines Regulation Act, which the responsible minister (Hon. Premier McBride) is determined shall be a model statute and the last word in legislation for the protection of the lives and limbs of workmen employed in the coal mines of British Columbia.

It will be recalled that last session a bill to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act was submitted, but subsequently withdrawn in order that the fullest possible advice and co-operation might be obtained from those directly concerned and professionally in touch with the details of the coal mines problem. The proposed measure has now been redrafted under the title of "An Act to Consolidate and Amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act and Amending Acts." The sections have been rearranged and placed in their natural sequence, and fresh amendments have been introduced in conformity with suggestions of last session. The measure will again come before parliament on its next assembling, and in the meantime the Department of Mines is taking a new and wholly commendable step. Copies of the new act have been sent out to all the mining centres of British Columbia, both to operators and to miners, with requests for their opinions of the amendments which have been drawn with a view to further protecting life and property and generally as an improvement upon the provincial act now in force.

Amendments Proposed
As explained by the deputy minister, the amendments which it is proposed to introduce have been altogether drawn with a view to the further protection of miners' lives and mine property. The first alteration has been proposed in the interests of youth. It raises the age standard for boys three years, namely, from 12 to 15. This is for underground employment. For surface employment the limit is fourteen, while no female is to be employed either above or below. The reason for this amendment is that the standard for the old act was clearly in conflict with the provincial Education Act.

The section on the eight hour day has also been amended so as to leave no loophole for the evasion of the act. It now reads that no person in or about a mine shall remain underground for the purpose of employment or for any other employment. Provision is made for certain workmen where the strict enforcement of the law would cause difficulty in the operation of the mine. In these cases thirty minutes' grace is allowed.

There are fresh provisions in regard to shafts. The first changes the distance that shall separate the shafts to 25 instead of 10 yards. The second, which is much more important, prohibits the ventilation of a mine from one shaft where the law mine for two shafts. Nos. 5 and 6 at Cumberland are and are largely responsible for the proposed amendment. As the amendment will not of necessity be retroactive there should be no opposition to it.

Section 25 in the proposed act is entirely new. It provides that no submarine seam of coal or stratified deposit shall be wrought under a less cover than 150 feet of solid measures, that soundings shall be taken and recorded on plans

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Abandoned Mines.
Section 5 is again new and important, as being suggested directly and altogether in the interests of safety. It provides that when a mine is abandoned an accurate plan of the abandonment shall be deposited with the Minister of Mines. (Continued On Page Ten.)
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TELLS OF CONDITIONS IN STEWART CAMP

Mr. W. Pigott Returns From Visit to Northern Mining Centre and Discusses the Progress Made by Town

Mr. W. Pigott, president of the Stewart Land Company, has returned from a visit to the northern mining camp. Of conditions there he said:

"I go back from Stewart on the Beatrice yesterday, having been away for a fortnight, a week of which was spent looking into the affairs of the Stewart Land Co., and inspecting as many mining properties as it was possible to do in the time. It is hard to express my surprise and pleasure to find that since they started such a busy and prosperous little town had sprung up at Stewart. The town itself is no boom town. The buildings are good substantial frame buildings of a permanent nature, and what is still more unusual in a new town, are already being painted in various shades, which makes a very attractive appearance.

"There are at present two banks located there, and in conversation with their managers, they both expressed themselves as well satisfied with the business they had done since they started. In fact, one of the managers said he had done a considerable amount more than he had ever anticipated doing.

"The number of passengers and amount of freight coming into Stewart is really extraordinary. Every boat has on board from 30 to 40 passengers and from 50 to 100 tons of general freight. Besides this there is rarely a day passes that tugs with scow loads of lumber, coal fuel, etc., do not reach Stewart, and the great trouble at the present moment is to find means of getting the material ashore without any undue delay.

"The pile driver and a construction gang for the Portland Canal Short Line Railway Company's wharf arrived a few days before I left, and by now will have started the actual construction of the wharf. The contract has been let for the railway grading, the rails for the railway will be at Prince Rupert in three weeks, and at Vancouver I saw two engines with the unfamiliar lettering of P. C. S. L. Ry., which no doubt will be moved up to Stewart as soon as the first rails are laid.

"It is hard to individualize any of the many really first-class buildings that have been put up, but perhaps the biggest is the new hotel erected by Mr. Gilmore on Fourth street, which will be running in about three weeks. At present there are two hotels opened, the Northern and the King Edward, both excellent hotels, and the service in them is really more than one would expect to get in such a new town.

"All the houses are wired for electric light, and also have plumbing in for the water. Both of these will be supplied in the course of a few weeks by the Stewart Portland Canal Light, Water and Power Company. In fact, I do not think that anyone could visit the town of Stewart and not realize the fact that its population certainly has unbounded faith in its future.

"The mines I had time to inspect were the Portland Canal, O. K. Fraction, Portland Wonder, Glacier Creek, and the Stewart Mining and Development Co.

"Mr. Elmerdorf, who is in charge of the Portland Canal, very kindly showed me over all the different works, and the company has certainly to be congratulated on the thorough manner in which their work is done in connection with their concentrator, aerial tram, power plant, and work on the mine. The tram is now in operation, and the whole plant, I feel sure, will be running in August. As to the mine itself, no one could go through the hundreds of feet of tunnels at different levels and see the enormous amount of ore that has already been exposed, without realizing that this is a mine that will be heard of not only in British Columbia but wherever mining is done. The mine has at times various rumors afloat that the ore would not concentrate to advantage. If it does not do so, there is no ore yet been put through any concentrator that is suitable for concentration, and this is the opinion of some of the first authorities who have seen the ore and tested it.

"Coming down to the O. K. Fraction, a property which is financed by local capital, they had opened up a ledge that is locally known as the Green ledge and they ought to be thoroughly satisfied with their showings for the amount of work done so far. The Portland Wonder mine, who are also working the Green ledge and also the main ledge, have also done some excellent work and both of these ore bodies have been cross-cut at depth. Excellent values have been obtained from them, and they are now proceeding to drift on the ledges.

"The Glacier Creek, owing to their difficulty in not obtaining miners, did not start work until late. They have now a full camp and are continuing the work started last fall, and are opening up a very nice ledge. They have also found another ledge about four feet wide, a little to the east of their present workings.

"I spent most of my time, of course, in the Stewart M. & D. Co., as this is the property that I am mainly interested in. I was so pleased with everything I saw, that it was with great regret I had to leave it and go back to the camp. I always felt that I would like to see the ledges that we have been opening up this winter and make sure that they were as represented, to me by the foreman at the mine. The ledges are there and the east ledge, which is 27 feet wide, is one of the prettiest ledges it is possible to imagine. It lies absolutely true, between splendid walls with good ground on each side, carrying any quantity of free silver and argente. I believe we have one of the biggest, if not the biggest, property in the camp.

Since my return I have been asked by several people, "What is wrong with the mines, that the stock market has dropped so in Portland Canal stocks?" Up at Stewart I was asked what was wrong with the stock market, but anybody who has watched the stock market not only in Vancouver and Victoria, but also in New York, Montreal and London, will realize the fact that it is not only Portland Canal stocks that are falling, and when anybody asks why our Portland Canal stocks are down, it might be answered by another question, "Why are N. P. G. N., and N. U., all down. The fault is not local, and it is to be looked for in the markets of the world, which has caused one of those cases of financial depression, which came with most persistent regularity. That it is only temporary, I am fully convinced, and I see the leading authorities in different parts of the continent are of the same opinion. At the same time it is very annoying as it makes us very short of cash, and keeps us from seizing the opportunities of purchasing the mining stocks at prices which in a few months time will look positively absurd.

"Re the big strike on Bitter Creek. I was sorry to see such exaggerated reports go abroad. It is an excellent strike and one that any camp should be proud of, but it is exaggerating it to call it a ledge of free milling gold."

BUILDING STEWART WHARF

Start Made on Big Dock at Portland Canal Mining Camp

The Princess Beatrice, Captain Whiteley, which arrived yesterday afternoon from northern B.C., brought word that a start has been made on the construction of the new dock at Stewart. The drivers were at work when the Beatrice left and the Canadian Northern in tends to rush its 3,000 feet long wharf. The Beatrice brought down a large crowd of passengers and will sail for the north tonight. The Princess Ena is completing cargo today for Skagway. This includes machinery for the Northern Light and Power Co., Dawson, bridge timbers, cattle, sheep, hogs, hay and general supplies and lumber.

SICK HINDU GOT STRANGE RECEPTION

Almost Victim of Efforts of Authorities to Purify Atmosphere of City Police Court Room

Seeking assistance from the city because he was physically unfit to aid himself, Benat Singh, a Hindu, in an advanced stage of tuberculosis, got a reception from the city authorities which was totally unlike anything he had expected. His opinion of the civic charity and consideration those in need of assistance has doubtless undergone a rude change.

The East Indian waited upon the mayor on Tuesday and asked for assistance. Anything the city could do for him would be thankfully accepted. The man was in a wretched condition of health, and furthermore in a dangerous state from the standpoint of infection. He was taken into the police court room to rest pending consideration of his case. It so happened that at that particular time the court room and adjoining office of the police inspector was being thoroughly disinfected following the removal of one of the police officials to the isolation hospital suffering from a light attack of diphtheria. The Hindu wandered into the office, and along with the furnishings was inadvertently given a thorough disinfection. In his presence, which was needed until some time later when the door was opened and the almost unconscious form of the Hindu discovered lying on the floor where he had fallen from his chair. The man was almost choked to death by the pungent fumes of the disinfectant which his already weakened lungs could not stand. The Hindu was immediately taken in charge and sent to the Isolation Hospital.

FINE BUILDING FOR DOUGLAS STREET

Permit Issued for New One Hundred Thousand Dollar Structure to Be Erected by Mr. J. A. Sayward.

The permit for the handsome new store and office building which will be erected by Mr. J. A. Sayward on the north-east corner of Douglas and View streets, was issued yesterday by the building inspector. The plans were prepared for a six story structure, but three storeys are all that will be erected at present, the building to be further extended when circumstances warrant.

Of similar construction to the new Pemberton Block, the Sayward building will be a fine addition to the city's business premises and an ornament to Douglas street, on which building operations will be active this summer. Six storeys will occupy the ground floor and the upper storeys will be arranged for offices, fifty of which will be laid out with every convenience known in up-to-date office buildings. The new building will be of reinforced concrete with brick facings, and throughout will be thoroughly fireproof.

Messrs. G. C. Mesher & Company, the contractors for the Pemberton Block, have secured the contract for the erection of Mr. Sayward's structure. The cost of the building is placed at \$100,000.

A permit was also issued yesterday to A. S. Heanski for a dwelling to be erected on Mason street to cost \$1,200.

CLAIMS TOUT DID NOT WAGER MONEY

Local Follower of the Races Proved Easy Victim—Seeks Aid of the Police to Recover Coin

Charged with purloining the \$150 which a gullible follower of the races confided to his care with which to beat the bookies, J. P. Lawson, a smooth-looking individual, with all the earmarks of the race track, and indeed, admitting that such is his occupation, a livelihood, was arrested last night by Detectives O'Leary and Heath-

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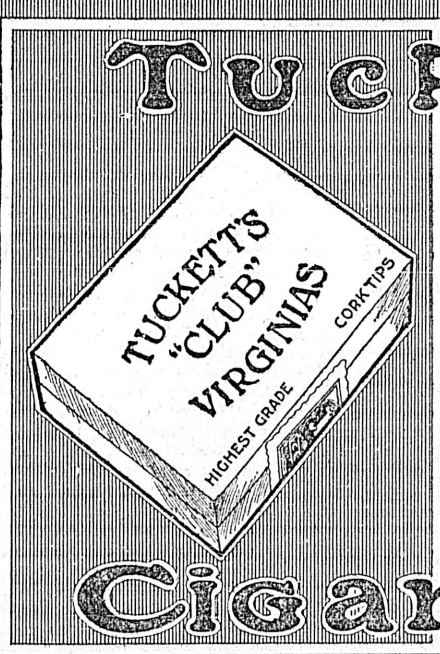
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or. He admits receiving the money, but claims he played it on one of the horses which ran on Tuesday afternoon. On the other hand, the victim, the proprietor of a waterfront saloon, alleges the money was never bet, Lawson, instead, simply putting it in his pocket and reporting that he had wagered it on a loser. For the past two days the victim has been endeavoring to convince the tout that it would be best if the latter repaid the money, but Lawson could not see it that way, and threats to have him arrested failed to persuade him to repay.

Whether Lawson will be proceeded against on the charge of theft alone, or whether he will also be charged under the new Miller bill with being a tout, an occupation barred by the new legislation, was a question which the authorities had not solved last night.

While Lawson was being searched, another race-track follower, W. Kallay, a bookmaker, was brought to the station and booked for fighting. Kallay had been roughly handled, his apparel and features showing decided signs of rough usage. He was also decidedly drunk. His trouble arose from the fact that he persisted in getting into an argument over the respective merits of a certain horse, and the argument led to blows. Who his assailants were and why they should have set upon him he admitted he could not tell. At any rate they had decamped when the patrol wagon, summoned to Trounce avenue arrived, and Kallay was discovered gingerly fingering the large lumps on the side of his face, the reminders of his recent engagement.

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REGISTRY OFFICES

As the best arrangements of Registry Offices for the convenience of the public is under consideration, a few suggestions may not be out of place.

We think it will be admitted that no one should have free access to the books of registration or to papers on file, who are not specially charged with the custody thereof. When the population of the Province was small and everybody knew nearly everybody else, it might have been safe enough to permit the public to have access to the records without being under the direct personal supervision of some one in authority; but there was always some risk attendant upon such a plan, and it is a risk that is increasing as the population increases. It is manifestly unsafe to permit of the promiscuous handling of public records, especially where, as in this Province, the registration consists for the most part of brief memoranda, which can be easily defaced and might without much great difficulty be altered. We very heartily commend the Attorney-General for giving his attention to this exceedingly important matter.

We suggest that, in order to avoid anything that looks like the extension of privileges to any class of the community, the rule should be made, as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made, that no one shall be allowed behind the counters of a Registry Office except the regularly appointed officials. In some places the rule is that a person desiring to make a search asks the Registrar for the books he requires, and the Registrar produces them for examination in his presence. He also permits the examination of unregistered documents in his presence; but the person searching is never permitted to have either access to the books or the documents except under the direct supervision of the Registrar. Of course, when we say "Registrar," we also mean an officer under him. In places like Victoria and Vancouver such an arrangement would involve a considerable addition to the office staff, and perhaps a complete re-arrangement of the offices; but that is no objection. The safety of the records and the convenience of the public must be provided for no matter if the cost is increased.

We are not quite clear as to the degrees of responsibility that the officials of the Registry Office should take in regard to searches; but incline to the opinion that, while they might properly afford any assistance in their power to a person making a search, they ought not to be under any obligation to express any opinion as to a title. We know that some people are under the impression that the Registrar, or in fact anyone in the Registry Office, is under an obligation to say whether or not a title is good and free from incumbrance, or otherwise; but we think if the official confines himself to showing the records which he is asked to exhibit, he has done all that ought to be required of him. Of course we are not now referring to formal certificates of title or other official document which the Registrars are required to issue. All that an official should, in our opinion, be required to do is to inform a searcher of the facts as they appear upon the records, leaving the searcher to reach his own conclusions. This is not to say that an official may not, if he has time to do so, assist a person making a search; but that is as far as he ought to go.

It might also be convenient to require a person desiring to make a search to fill up a brief form of application, so as to ensure that the search would not extend to several titles, under the pretense that only one was being examined. It has been suggested to the Colonist that there should be no charge for searches. The custom of exacting a fee originated in the Eastern Provinces, where at one time all the Registrars were paid by fees, as many of them now are. This reason does not exist, where the Registrar and his subordinates are

paid salaries. In some parts of the United States, where the Registrars are salaried, there is no charge for searches. The charge is made here for the sake of revenue. The desirability of reducing and even of abolishing fees for searches might be worthy of consideration. We have ourselves no very decided views on the subject; but representations have been made to us that, when a person, seeking to buy real estate, wishes to find out who owns it, he ought not to have to pay for finding out. A case in point may be mentioned. A person having some money to invest went and examined several pieces of vacant real estate, and concluded to buy them if he could get them at a suitable price. He complained that before he could begin negotiations for a purchase, which might result in nothing, he had to pay for a number of searches. He did not think this was reasonable. He would not have objected to paying for a search to find out if the title was good; but he did not think he ought to have to pay to learn who was the ostensible owner of the property. But, as we have said, we have no very pronounced opinion one way or the other on this subject. Possibly if a copy of each assessment roll, so far as the lots and the names of the assessed owners go, were open to free inspection in the Registry Office, it would meet the objection mentioned in this paragraph, and would greatly facilitate business.

LORD KITCHENER.

At the time of Lord Kitchener's resignation of the Mediterranean command we expressed the desire to read what comments would be made upon it by the British press. We have the London Times at hand and although it is of a date previous to the resignation, Colonist readers will be interested to know what the London paper has to say in respect to Kitchener's position and services. The Times looks upon the Mediterranean command, as "not providing sufficient recognition of his past services or sufficient scope for his abilities." It says that his admirers may think his proper place to be in India, meaning thereby that he should have been named Viceroy; but to this the Times answers that "the suggestion is not likely to commend itself to the present government nor to any government aware of the difficulty and complexity of Indian problems." "These problems," it adds, "call rather for the qualities of the experienced civilian than for the gifts of the successful soldier and military administrator." We quote further:

Lord Kitchener's experience, varied as it is, has been almost exclusively military. He is still so full of vigor that it rarely occurs to anybody to remember that he is near his sixtieth birthday. He has grown old in the traditions, the habits of mind, and the occupations of a soldier. It would scarcely be fair either to him, to India, or to the Empire to ask him now to abandon, even if only for a time, the profession in which he has spent his life, and to take over an office of which the holder, to fill it adequately, would require the experience and the outlook, not of a soldier, but of a statesman. Lord Kitchener is undoubtedly a great soldier; there is little in his past career to make us confident that he would also be the statesman whom India requires in the present crisis. The two sets of gifts are sometimes combined, as Cromwell has shown, in one and the same man; but how rarely a soldier possesses the qualities needed in a Viceroy of India may be gauged from the fact that only two are found on the long roll of Governors-General; and of these one, Lord Hardinge, had been repeatedly a Cabinet Minister before he was chosen for India. There seems on the present occasion no special military reason that calls for the appointment of a soldier; no important external war is threatened, and no internal rising is probable that cannot be dealt with by the forces and the men on the spot.

The Times admits that India is in an unsettled condition, but it does not think matters are as difficult as they were before the Mutiny, and at that perilous time the services of civilians were relied upon, and with good results, to bring order out of chaos. We quote further:

The Government would incur a very serious responsibility were they now, by appointing Lord Kitchener as Viceroy, to convey the impression that the situation today is so grave as to require our greatest soldier still on the active list to handle it. Another and a more personal aspect of the question makes us confident that Lord Kitchener will not be selected as the next Viceroy. He is no longer a young man and few positions are more laborious than the Viceroyalty of India. Its responsibilities are overwhelming, and few have ever held it without some permanent effect upon their health and energy. Lord Kitchener's return to India would probably mark the end of his active military career. He has been called, with considerable justice, our greatest military asset, and we do not believe that the Government will sacrifice his unrivalled military experience by translating him to a civil appointment. The loss to the Army would be too great. Other men can be found at least equally well fitted for the Viceroyalty; but we may not soon again possess a soldier of Lord Kitchener's varied gifts and training. We hope and believe that, instead of wasting him in a position for which he has few special qualifications, the Government will find a way of using for the benefit of the Empire the military ability of which he has given such ample proof, and the military experience he has gathered in so many lands.

The latest despatches say that Lord Kitchener will probably be appointed chief of the Imperial General Staff, which we assume will make him virtually the head of the British army.

We are very glad that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has given an unqualified denial to the statements recently made that there has been "trafficking in judgeships." His statement will be accepted without reservation, and will

be hailed with satisfaction by all persons who desire that there shall never be any ground for impeaching the integrity of our judges.

God Save the Prince of Wales! If what is told of the young fellow be true, he is very much of the right sort, a lad of high ideals, a modesty becoming a youth, and all the promise of an honorable and useful manhood.

The Colonist did not wish to imply in any observation made by it that the Vancouver Custom officials did not know what decency requires, but only that Mr. Bowser knew what it required of him.

Mr. C. T. Dupont makes the extraordinary statement that the Colonist justified the driver of an automobile, which killed his little niece in Seattle. We sympathize too much with Mr. Dupont's feelings in such a case to say anything more than that he is very much mistaken.

An esteemed contemporary to the contrary notwithstanding, might is omnipotent in a national sense. The whole fabric of human society rests upon the ability of the sovereign power to make good its decrees. This is a fundamental principle, which ought not always to be acted upon, but it ought never to be forgotten.

President Schurman, of Cornell, predicts a closer union between the United States and Canada. President Schurman, who is a Canadian by birth, annexed himself to that country some years ago, which perhaps explains his present opinions. He does not say whether the United States will join Canada or if it will be the other way about.

The career of Dr. Hugh Macmillan, formerly of Victoria, and a son of Mr. John Macmillan, formerly one of our Aldermen, reflects the greatest credit upon him. Dr. Macmillan, who graduated with high honors at McGill, is now house surgeon at the Vancouver General hospital. He was at one time an apprentice in the composing room of the Times Printing and Publishing Co. Ltd., and has worked his way unaided to his present position. The Colonist extends to him and his family its heartiest congratulations and good wishes.

Three little girls were following close behind a heavily loaded team. One of them got under the load and her companions danced along behind. If a man in a motor had been approaching from the opposite direction he could not possibly have seen them, and if in their play one of them had danced out in his way and been killed, he could not have been held to blame. Yet according to the doctrine that has been lately preached in this city, the children were within their legal rights, and the man, who told them to go and play on the sidewalk, was interfering with the liberty of the subject. We take leave to doubt if their mothers would think so.

The Colonist is asked how it knows that there is a bar up aloft in the Parliament Building at Ottawa. Possibly we might have reached the conclusion from a knowledge of the indisposition of certain portions of mankind to have "too long a time between drinks;" but, as a matter of fact, we have no such explanation to offer. We only know it because the Sergeant-at-Arms said so. We are without any other evidence. In the ancient days, to which our questioner refers, there were two bars, one at each end of the Parliament Building, where the thirsty might find refreshment without pretending that they were going to the roof to look at the comet. But those days are fled.

The City Engineer has something coming to him. If he is familiar with the Bible he will be aware that certain things of a not very pleasant character are said therein about people who remove landmarks. Now, a certain street in this town is being permanently improved, and we hope we do him no injustice when we say that the City Engineer knows it. Against the improvement we make no protest; but it is with a feeling that is akin to sorrow, as a Vancouver mist resembles rain, that we observe that his minions—we believe that is the correct expression in such cases—have laid their unholy hands upon divers and sundry landmarks that have been there for so long a time that the memory of man runneth not to the contrary thereof. They consisted of beams, old iron, barrels and a miscellaneous collection of bric-a-brac of assorted sizes and patterns. They have stood, inclined, or laid, as the case may be, while City Engineers have come and gone, while Aldermanic dynasties have "rose and fell." When many of the present generation of voters were carrying their lunch baskets to school, aye, when some of them had not aspired to the dignity of even short trousers, the relics of a hoary antiquity graced the spot. It was bad enough that the ruthless hand of time should have been allowed to deface them with its gnawing tooth—this is somewhat mixed, but not any more than the bric-a-brac was—without a utilitarian City Engineer devoid of respect for old age and of even an atom of sentiment in his municipal soul, should cause them to be removed, and for all those who knew and loved them can hope to know, placed them in some bourn from which they can never be rescued. The spirit of iconoclasm can go no further. Now let the Deluge come.

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Here's welcome news for campers—special values in camp crockery. Visit our china store—rear section—and see the great values we are offering in crockery suitable for the camp.

A big variety of articles and some wonderful values. These are best quality ware—strong, serviceable pieces, ideal for camp use. Cost has been lost sight of in the marking of these, and if you are contemplating a Summer camp you shouldn't fail to see these offerings.

The reason for such prices lies in the fact that they are the "left overs" from a big business in this department. Odd lines that we wish to clear out to make way for new stock are included.

Come in and see these—you'll never get a better opportunity to secure such tableware.

Soup Plates at, each	5¢	Soup Casseroles at, each	75¢
Plates at, per dozen, 50c, or each	5¢	Platters, octagon shape, at each	5¢
Cups, per dozen, 50c, or each	5¢	Large Platters, blue willow patterns, at	60¢
Tumblers at, each	5¢	Teapots, large size, at	25¢
Bowls from, each	5¢	Syrup jugs at, each	25¢

\$9.00 Value in 98-Piece Dinner Set for \$7.50

A Neat Pattern in Semi-Porcelain at a Very Easy Price

If you would prefer something more elaborate in camp tableware—something that you could use on the city table—a complete set of a neat and attractive pattern, just try this value.

This is a 98-piece service, in a splendid quality of semi-porcelain. The decoration is a neat pink lace pattern. We give the combination below. See the set displayed on our first floor. We offer this set—a regular \$9.00 value—for \$7.50.

12—8 inch Flat Plates
12—6 inch Flat Plates
12—8 inch Soup Plates
12—Teas and Saucers
12—Fruit Saucers

12—Butter Pads
2—Covered Dishes
1—10 inch Flat Dish
1—12 inch Flat Dish
1—14 inch Flat Dish

2—9 inch Bakers
1—Gravy Boat
1—Covered Sugar
1—Slop Bowl
1—Cream Pitcher

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Are You Prepared for a Taste of That Eastern Weather?

That "hot wave" they are enjoying (?) in the East just at present is due your way pretty soon. Are you prepared for it? Better be prepared than to let it catch you unprepared.

The summer weather we have been having during this month of June hasn't called for any special worry in the matter of keeping cool—fact is, it's been too easy. But as a general rule an exceptionally hot spell follows such an early Summer.

We stock a splendid range of Summer Furniture and your wants in such lines can be best filled from this stock.

Camp Furniture

The fourth floor showrooms show a big line of that famous Gold Medal Camp Furniture—recognized as being the very best in folding camp furniture.

It is lightest and folds most compactly—making it the ideal furniture where there is "packing" to be done. It is also remarkably strong. Take the beds, for instance—they're guaranteed to carry 2,000 pounds.

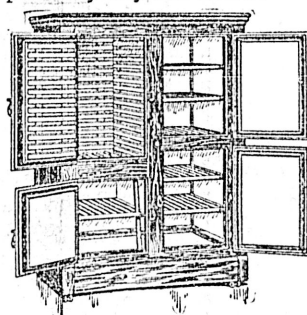
We show—
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Camp Chairs
Camp Tables
Camp Baths
Come in and see the display and get something for your camp.



THE EASIEST AND SUREST WAY to keep your refrigerator clean is to *buy a refrigerator that doesn't get dirty*. The scrub brush is but a poor corrective for a refrigerator that *between cleanings* is full of foul odors and accumulated moisture. It is like trying to keep your house healthful by ventilating it once a week.

McCray Refrigerators

require less cleaning, and at the same time keep cleaner than any other refrigerators of which we know. In fact, they never require scrubbing out unless foods or liquids are spilled in them by accident. The McCray patented circulation system carries away all odors and moisture, and keeps the refrigerator perfectly dry and clean.



Foods put into the McCray Refrigerator will keep longer, and will come out in better condition than is possible in an ordinary refrigerator or ice box where the whole effect of the ice is to produce a low temperature.

The difference between COLD AND REFRIGERATION is one you should understand—it may be the difference between health and sickness for your family this summer.

We will be glad to explain if you will call. A great variety of family sizes of the McCray Refrigerators are ready for immediate delivery.

We shall be glad to explain if you will call. We have several sizes suitable for family use—come and see them. We also handle the very best in Canadian-made refrigerators—a line for those who do not care to expend more money. These sell from, each, \$12.00.

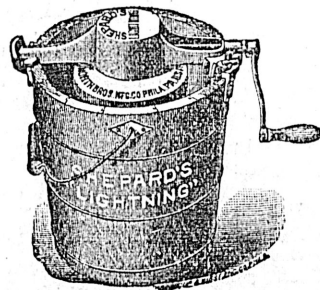
Ice Cream Freezers

We sell the famous Lightning Ice-cream Freezer—the freezer that saves time, labor, ice—and makes the most delicious cream. A full range of sizes carried in stock. Make your own ice-cream and be sure of having a pure, wholesome, delicious food.

Prices start from \$2.75.

Bamboo Porch Shades

These are made from split bamboo, and are ideal for Summer cottage, verandah or the porch of the city home. Screen you from the direct rays of the sun and yet permit light and air to penetrate. Priced from \$1.00.



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Pick up any of the foremost monthlies, weeklies or dailies, and you'll find articles by prominent people on fly pest—telling of the great danger to health the fly is.

By all means do your best to keep the fly out of the home. Screen doors and window screens will help wonderfully, and they are so lightly priced nowadays that your home may be easily equipped.

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Window Screens, adjustable style, from 25¢
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The president and members of the Alexandra Club and of the University Women's Club will hold a reception on Monday, June 27th, at 8:30 p.m., in honor of the University Site Commission.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rolston, of Ladysmith, are visiting in Victoria.

Mrs. J. Herrick McGregor will be one of today's hostesses.

The Misses Thornton Fell are visiting friends at Vancouver.

Mrs. D. E. Grobe and family, from Ymir, are visiting Victoria friends.

Mr. F. Verdler has left on a business visit to the Lardo.

Mr. William Voght, pioneer of the Nicola Valley, is visiting the capital.

Mr. J. C. Kingham is paying a business visit to the provincial mainland.

Mr. Stuart Henderson, of Ashcroft, is paying Coast friends a visit.

Col. Shelton is over from Vancouver on business, a guest at the Empress.

Mr. R. P. Bend from Los Angeles is in town on a business visit.

Mrs. D. M. Carley and children, of Ladysmith, were visitors to Victoria yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Marpole, of Vancouver, are visitors in the city, guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. James A. Fullerton, ship's husband for the C.P.R., arrived in the city yesterday on a business visit.

Mr. Daniel McInnes, "the Mayor of Midway Valley," is paying a long contemplated visit to the capital.

William Blakemore, M.E., returned yesterday from a mining trip to the north of the island.

Mrs. A. J. Dow has left for her home in Rossland, after a pleasant visit with Victoria friends.

Mr. Charles M. Macdonald has returned from a visit to Lulu Island and other portions of the lower mainland.

H. A. Bayfield and S. J. Stapledon were passengers on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver yesterday.

Mrs. Hasell is visiting the mainland in connection with the annual convention of the King's Daughters.

Mrs. William Holmes is visiting Vancouver, the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. Marpole.

Mr. and Mrs. George Atwood from New Westminster are spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. James Harvey from Pier Island has been spending a few days in town.

Mr. John Sparks who came to Victoria on a business visit from Tacoma left yesterday on his return journey home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Davidson and Dr. and Mrs. E. J. McKay are Winnipeg visitors who are enjoying a holiday visit to Victoria.

Captain and Mrs. John Patterson from Oxford, England who are visiting the coast cities are at present in town on a short visit.

Colonel and Mrs. Pearson are visitors in town from England and during their stay here are guests at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Edwards who have been spending the past fortnight at Oak Bay left yesterday via Seattle for their home in New York.

Mrs. John Hope, of Vancouver, was among the mainland guests for the Macdonald-Bryden wedding of Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. McPhail, who has for the past ten days been the guest of Mrs. Murray Thain, has returned to her home in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Burrall, of Grand View, Vancouver, are visiting Victoria friends.

Mrs. Michael Finerty and Miss Mary Ann Finerty left yesterday for Seattle, where they take the steamer Governor for San Francisco.

Mrs. W. H. Burkholder and her little granddaughter, Margaret Cullum, left yesterday by the Princess Charlotte, on a visit to Spokane.

W. A. Stone left yesterday on a business trip to Spokane.

S. H. O'Kell went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

R. S. Chapman left last night on the Charmer on a trip to Vancouver.

Hon. W. J. Bowser left last night on the Charmer for Vancouver.

Mrs. J. Hope went over to Vancouver on the Charmer last evening.

Mr. J. A. Mara left last night on a short business trip to Vancouver.

Roland Stevens left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a trip to Denver.

Capt. J. W. Troup returned yesterday from Seattle by way of the steamer Princess Charlotte.

Mrs. L. Acton was a passenger by the steamer Princess Royal from Seattle yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Burkholder left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a trip to Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. J. A. Cameron, and her son, Arthur Cameron, left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a trip to Northfield, Minn.

The many friends of Mrs. Gordon, of "The Aberdeen," will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from the effects of her accident.

The Rev. A. J. Doull, Dean of Columbia, will distribute the prizes at St. George's School on Thursday, June 30th, at 11 a.m.

A piano recital will be given by the pupils of Miss Margaret Sill at her residence, 515 Linden avenue, on Wednesday, afternoon, June 29th, at 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Purdy who came over from Seattle on Monday are spending a fortnight in town after which they intend going to Duncan and neighborhood where they will spend the summer.

Dr. C. J. Fagan, secretary of the Provincial Health Board, who has been attending an important conference in Montreal of the Canadian Medical Association, and also visiting Boston and other Eastern cities, is expected to return home about the first of the week.

Yesterday in the notices of the marriage of Captain Macdonald and Miss Bryden mention might have been made that the bride's travelling dress, the bride's maid's artistic gowns and the lovely toilette worn by Mrs. Henry Croft were made by Miss McMillan as were also many of the beautiful dresses worn at the wedding by the guests. The wedding cake was decorated by Clay's.

Mrs. Tate McEwen Robertson, of Vancouver, on Tuesday entertained at tea a few friends of Mrs. Rocke Robertson of Victoria, who is her guest. She was assisted by Mrs. Stuart Ross, who was in charge of the tea table. Some of the guests were Mrs. J. C. Keith, Mrs. R. Marpole, Mrs. William Holmes (Victoria), Mrs. George Powell, Miss Phyllis Green (Victoria), Miss Jessie Camble, Mrs. Alexander Reid, Mrs. W. B. Mackinnon, Mrs. Arthur Ray, Mrs. H. D. Hulme, Mrs. Thomas White, Mrs. B. D. Gillis, Mrs. G. V. Lockett, Mrs. E. J. Deacon, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Mrs. Henry Macaulay and Mrs. W. S. Deacon.

Miss Ellen Terry will give one of the five performances in which she will be seen on the Pacific slope next November, in Victoria. It is to the Victoria Musical Society the theatre-going public owes this announcement. At a special meeting of the society held last evening the arrangements were made and Mr. C. Denham, the honorary secretary, made it public. The other performances will be in San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and Vancouver.

The board of valuers appointed to adjust the price which must be paid for the abandoned right-of-way from Midway to Rock Creek of the extinct Midway & Vernon Railway Company—the purchasers being the Kettle River Valley Railway Company—have virtually completed their work in the field and will meet again in this city next month in order to receive certain further information not at present available.

Then, when the time for receiving claims against the defunct road has expired, the valuation board will have to go over the claims submitted and there will follow a distribution of the assets. The funds which will be available are not to be distributed pro rata, as claims for labor (wages), team hire, etc., constitute a first lien in their entirety. Then, any remaining moneys will be distributed among the general creditors as the act directs. The board consists of His Honor Judge Forin, Mr. J. M. Rice (appointed by the Kettle River Valley Railway Co.), and Mr. R. F. Green (named by the Provincial Government).

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Fine Summer weather brings washable materials into first consideration. Nothing looks so charming for Ladies' Misses', and Children's wear as fresh and dainty "tub" frocks. Our assortments are representative of the season's newest and best ideas. Here are a few price hints that will solve the problem of washable costumes—a variety of fabrics both beautiful and useful for outing and Summer wear:

SCOTCH ZEPHYRS, newest striped goods, 38 inches wide.	Per yard	25¢
GALATEAS, light and dark blue, also brown, per yard		20¢
FINE GALATEAS, latest pin stripes, per yard		25¢
HEAVY DRILL, plain and stripes, per yard		30¢
WHITE SATIN JEAN, per yard		25¢
OXFORD SHIRTINGS, per yard		15¢
BROWN HOLLAND, per yard, 35c, 25c, and		20¢
ENGLISH PRINTS, wide selection, per yard, 15c and		12½¢
ZEPHYR GINGHAMS, plain and checks, per yard 15c and		12½¢
WHITE PERSIAN LAWNS, per yard, 60c, 40c, 35c and		25¢
WHITE INDIAN LINON, per yard, 35c, 30c, 25c and		20¢
WHITE DIMITY MUSLINS, per yard, 30c, 25c and		20¢
COLORED DIMITY MUSLINS, per yard		15¢
INDIAN HEAD SUITING, per yard, 25c and		20¢

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Pure Italian Olive Oil, 30c, 60c and.....	\$1.00
California Salad Oil, quart bottle.....	50c
Heintz's Mustard Dressing, per bottle.....	25c
Lobsters, per tin, 15c, 25c, 40c and.....	50c
Lobsters, glass jar, 40c and.....	60c
Shrimps, per tin.....	20c
Crabs, per tin.....	25c
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NEWS OF THE CITY

To Hold Meeting

Island Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, will hold their regular meeting in K. of P. Hall this evening. All members are requested to be there at 7:30 as there will be a social for all members and their friends, after a short business meeting.

Someone Loses Dog

A valuable English setter dog, the ownership of which has not yet been ascertained, was run down by a Douglas street car near the Leland Hotel yesterday afternoon and had to be shot to put it out of its misery.

New Westminster Route.

For the purpose of considering a definite proposal for the establishment of a twice a week service on the route between this port and New Westminster a meeting of the committee of the board of trade which has the matter in hand will be held this morning at 11:30 o'clock.

Solicitor in Harness

The recently appointed city solicitor, Frank A. McDiarmid, has taken up his quarters at the city hall, the improvements now under way in the council chamber having resulted in additional office room. Mr. McDiarmid is not yet entitled to practice here but there is a considerable amount of necessary work which he can undertake.

To Decorate Graves

All arrangements have been made by the K. of P. lodges to decorate the graves of their departed members Sunday, June 26, the members assembling at Castle Hall at 2 p.m. and marching to the cemetery with the Fifth Regiment Band, where services will be held. All flowers are to be left at small hall Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning.

Boaters Pleased

Boaters and lovers of aquatic pastimes are willing to throw several large-sized bouquets in the direction of Alderman Humber, chairman of the parks committee, who, with his fellow members of the committee, has seen the necessity of providing much needed improvements at the Gorge Park in the way of landings and steps to the roadway above. The lack of adequate accommodation has been long felt, and now that it has been provided is being thoroughly appreciated.

Gave Papers at Convention

At yesterday's sessions of the twenty-seventh annual convention of the W.C.T.U. of B.C., now being held in New Westminster, Dr. Ernest Hall, of this city, delivered a special address on alcohol use and its consequences, other interesting addresses being made by Rev. Dr. Spencer and Mrs. J. T. Betts, the latter of whom presented her report as to the Dominion Convention which she recently attended as the delegate from this province. Among the interesting reports by superintendents of departments, Mrs. D. V. Dickard, of this city, discussed "Parlor Meetings," Mrs. F. Andrews, "Press Work," Mrs. A. J. Clyde, "Grant Mission," and Mrs. Gordon Grant, "Legislation, Petition and Franchise."

National Exhibition.

An effort will be made to have Vancouver Island represented in the Canadian Northern display at the National Exhibition to be held in Toronto from August 27th to September 12th. The local board of trade has received a letter from Mr. Arthur Hawkes, the superintendent of publicity for the C. N. R. asking for cooperation in the railway exhibit at Toronto, a display in which the C.N.R. intends to make a good showing. The letter in question has been passed to the officials of the Vancouver Island Development League, and a meeting of the latter executive will be held to consider what steps should be taken towards having the island represented in the forthcoming exhibition. Mr. Hawkes, the C.N.R. publicity superintendent, has also written to the Hon. W. J. Bowser asking for the cooperation of the department of agriculture in preparing an exhibit representative of the territory through which the Canadian Northern Pacific railroad will pass.

Inquiry Into Child's Death

Coroner A. B. Diplock, of North Vancouver, has transmitted to the attorney-general's department his formal report of an inquiry made as to the cause of death of General Shelton, the baby daughter of North Vancouver parents. It was originally announced that this little one had died of a malady akin to indigestion, but the result of the official investigation is the verdict that "the child died of starvation, being unable to swallow the food provided for it." Further inquiry is looked for, with a view to fixing responsibility for the apparent neglect, the unfortunate baby having had a defective palate, and being therefore mechanically unable to nurse from a bottle as do countless other little ones. In connection with the cause of death in this particular case, Dr. J. Ewart Campbell corroborated the opinions and conclusions of Dr. Dyer, also referring to a similar case of a certain Florencia Montgomery, "Hand-fed children," says Dr. Campbell in his deposition, "are very hard to raise, and the mortality among them is great, even when there are trained nurses."

A Revelstoke Lament

Victorians will remember quite distinctly the visit to this city of that charming public entertainer Madame Labadie, and some (even in high places) may sympathize with the following wail as to the methods of her business manager—the lament is from the "Revelstoke Herald": "The Madame Labadie entertainment at the Y.M.C.A. instilled a new kind of graft that should be discouraged in every possible way. A woman was sent in with ticket contracts which she tried to get business men and others to take up, as she claimed for the benefit of the Y.M.C.A. On these she got a rake-off of a third. If she could not place a \$5 contract, she held up a \$5 contract, and when she would fall down on a \$5 contract, with the result that the community was worked as well as it could have been by the Rev. Atlas, or that other Macedonian of 1895 fame. The Y.M.C.A. got the small end, and was in the shape of the sprat held up to catch the mackerel—the easy public. We hope the churches and public institutions of Revelstoke will stop nibbling at these peripatetic shows when they are simply used by cute anglers as bait to trap the public. There has been and is a great deal too much of this kind of thing in Revelstoke, and this sooner the community sits down on such show trickery the better for legitimate entertainers and their patrons."

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., June 23, 1910.

SYNOPSIS.

Low areas from the ocean cover the Canadian western provinces from the Pacific to the lakes and a moderately high pressure area overlies Oregon and Washington; rain is falling at Port Simpson and Triangle Island, but elsewhere west of the Rockies the weather has been mostly fair and somewhat warmer. In the prairie provinces thunderstorms and rainy conditions are very general with summer temperatures in most districts.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	46	66
Vancouver	47	69
New Westminster	44	66
Kamloops	52	76
Barkerville	51	58
Fort Simpson	46	51
Dawson, Y. T.	48	78
Calgary, Alta.	52	62
Winnipeg, Man.	66	84
Portland, Ore.	52	76
San Francisco, Cal.	50	66

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time), Friday:

Victoria and vicinity: winds chiefly southerly; showers today or Saturday and not much change in temperature.

Lower mainland: light to moderate winds; showers today or Saturday and not much change in temperature.

THURSDAY.

Highest	66
Lowest	46
Mean	58
Sunshine, 10 hours, 12 minutes.	

Reception to Commission

The president and members of the Alexandra Club, together with the president and members of the Women's University Club, will tender a reception to the members of the University Site Commission on Monday evening next at the Alexandra Club rooms to which all graduates are invited. Members of the clubs are requested to accept this intimation owing to the shortness of the notice.

Accident to Miss Thain.

As Miss Thain was making the journey in a taxicab from the orphanage to Michigan street to fulfill an engagement at a garden party this Thursday afternoon, turning rather sharply into a narrow roadway the driver in attempting to avoid which would have been a serious collision, lost control and went full force into the ditch, throwing Miss Thain through the front glass and badly cutting and bruising her face and injuring her foot. The car was badly smashed.

To Visit Victoria

Mr. Hamilton Pyfe, a well known English newspaper correspondent, is expected to visit Victoria within the next few weeks. Mr. Pyfe was for some years editor of the Daily Mirror, and latterly has been acting as a special correspondent for the Daily Mail on behalf of which paper he accompanied Mr. Roosevelt from London to New York. Before returning to England he intends making a tour of Canada collecting data upon which he will base future articles for his paper.



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In most of our cities produce dealers are very hardworking men who do not give evidence of great wealth. However, if as is charged, there is a combination among the dealers in the Sound city to keep up prices the truth should be known. If there is not the confidence of the public should be restored. This matter affects Victoria consumers very closely. We buy not a little of our fruit and vegetables from Seattle. Besides a similar complaint is often made here. It is certain that the difficulty of putting fruit and vegetables in the market in good condition causes great loss to the growers. When new railroads and tram lines are built, it is hoped that this difficulty will be lessened. There are many who believe that a good market would be a great help both to the housekeeper who has little money to spend and to the owner of a small holding. These two classes represent a large part of the population of Victoria and the surrounding country.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

Court of Appeal

Star Mining and Milling Company v. Byron N. White Company (Foreign): Practice—Costs—Taxation—Interest on costs—When to be computed from.

This was an appeal from Clement J. In a motion by defendants to stay further proceedings in the action on the ground that the judgment obtained had been satisfied. The only question was as to whether plaintiffs were entitled to interest on their costs from the date of judgment or date of ascertainment of the amount by taxation. Defendants paid the interest from date of taxation. Clement J. came to the conclusion that there was no judgment debt in result of costs until after taxation.

S. S. Taylor, K.C., for appellant (plaintiff) company: Judgment was originally obtained on the 23rd of November, 1907; the costs were taxed on the 19th of July, 1909, and an addition of some \$326.25 made on the 21st of October, 1909. The question is whether we are entitled to interest on costs from the date of judgment or the date of ascertainment of the amount by taxation. We say that we should have had interest from the 19th of July, 1909; we say that we should have had interest from the 23rd of November, 1907, on the whole amount. The next question is, must we take interest from the date of judgment or of the ascertainment of the amount by taxation. See the Interest Act, R.S.C., Cap. 120, sections 12 to 15. A judgment shall bear interest, and a judgment for costs is a judgment debt.

Bodwell, K.C., for respondent (defendant) company: The Court by the terms of its order has postponed the payment. The judgment contains a number of declarations; the only money demand which is recovered are the costs, and the practical terms of the judgment are that the costs are to be paid after they are taxed. Until that taxation takes place, no judgment for money has been rendered. The debt has to be ascertained, and is to be paid when ascertained. Consequently this is a case on which the Court has "otherwise ordered." The judgment is that on a certain day defendant Company are to pay a certain sum to be ascertained. There is no principal sum recovered here therefore there is no judgment debt. The Court itself has postponed the date of payment.

Taylor was not called upon in reply.

Macdonald, C.J.A.: I think the appeal ought to be allowed. The judgment is in the form very commonly used in cases of this kind. It is my own knowledge, and all that it means was that the costs were given subject to taxation. This form of order does not imply that the interest which is given by statute shall not commence to run until the date of taxation.

Irving, J.A.: I agree. The formula is a clumsy one. As there is no special mention that interest shall not run, I think the words "forthwith after taxation" may be rejected as surplusage. It is quite evident that in framing the order no person was considering the question of interest.

Martin, J.A.: I concur. I prefer to put my judgment on the ground that the direction as to the payment of the costs forthwith after taxation may be regarded as mere surplusage having regard to the fact that no costs can be paid without taxation. Since I settled the order under consideration, I think it desirable to add that I now note that it contains the expression "costs of and incidental to this action," and I wish to say that if a had noticed the words "and incidental to" I should have struck them out, as in this case at least—as in most cases—they are as unnecessary as they are unjustified, if not, indeed, misleading.

Gallagher, J.A.: I would dismiss the appeal. I agree with the learned judge below who found that the plaintiffs were entitled to exercise certain rights. Costs followed as an incident—having settled or given power to the plaintiff to exercise those rights, he proceeds to tax the costs of the action, and he fixes a specified time for the respondents to pay the costs. The parties are now dealing with something by itself—they are dealing with the costs, not with the judgment which has gone before.

For months past we have read much of the cruelty of women who are, by the wearing of the plumage of the beautiful creatures. But a still sadder story is told of the making of cheap artificial flowers.

An exhibit was recently held of the work of children and women by the Consumer's League and the Child Labor Committee in the Church of the Messiah in New York. Here it was shown that there are hundreds of thousands of little children toiling from waking to sleeping time to make sixty cents. Their slender fingers fashion the single pink roses and the violets found on bargain counters and in the ten-cent stores. Twelve dozen of the roses are made for a single cent. A bunch of twenty violets is made for two cents, and other flowers at prices correspondingly low. This work is done at home in crowded districts.

Even more dreary is the task of the babies who pull bastings from the coats their mothers make while the prices paid for needlework is so low that one wonders how body and soul can be kept together on the pittance. Here are a few instances of the wages given for work for which the purchaser pays a high price.

Twelve and half cents was the sum paid to one woman for her work in finishing a child's white coat—hemming it, lining it, putting on cape sleeves, cuffs, trimming it with medallions and braid and supplying all the thread. With the utmost exertion she could only succeed in finishing six of these in a fourteen hour day.

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We talk about the cruelty and injustice of slavery, but the slaves lived in the sunlight and breathed the air of heaven. They were seldom starved, and could not have suffered as these poor needlewomen do. It is true their children were often torn from their arms, but was it more cruel than to see them pine away in dreary and unwholesome toil? Canada will do well to guard against the conditions which make such a life possible for women and children. Is our modern craze for cheapness at all to blame for the sweated industries? It is no wonder that women who see their evils long to bear a part in abolishing them. If laws cannot be made to prevent such extortion as is indicated in the extract quoted there is little justice in legislation.

This article from the Weekly Sun entitled, "The Answered Call," is one that it will do us all good to read: "The blood thrills on reading story after story of the heroism of a girl at Montreal fire. It was no mere isolated case of the highest form of courage that we read of. Wherever circumstances demanded it, there were exhibitions of willingness to give that final proof of the devotion to the duty which goes with life—a readiness to give up life itself if this is necessary to the saving of others. The girl who, in the midst of a fiery furnace, held the hand of an injured man, ready to administer the last rites of the church if death should come before relief; the girl barely out of school who stood aside and assisted others to descend from a wall crumbling beneath her feet; the lad, little older, who cheered others with his own fearlessness and scenes calculated to shake the stoutest nerve; the score of men who, each for himself, voiced the call of 'women first'—all these shed glory on their kind.

The ordered courage was all the more remarkable when the surrounding circumstances were remembered. It was a gallant thing of Hobson to sink the Merrimac under the mouths of flaming Spanish cannon at San Juan; but Hobson had for days been keeping himself up to the performance of that particular task. Every Britisher thrills with pride when the story of the Birkenhead is told; but the men who wrote the name of an old wooden ship high on the scroll of fame had been drilled day after day and year after year into preparedness for the sacrifice which was demanded at last. In the case of the heroes of the Montreal holocaust there was no keeping up; there was no prior drilling to ensure automatic obedience to the call. The tragedy came in the midst of the day's work, with the suddenness of an earthquake, and the call was answered, in a score of cases by a display of courage that has never been surpassed in the midst of the excitement of battle."

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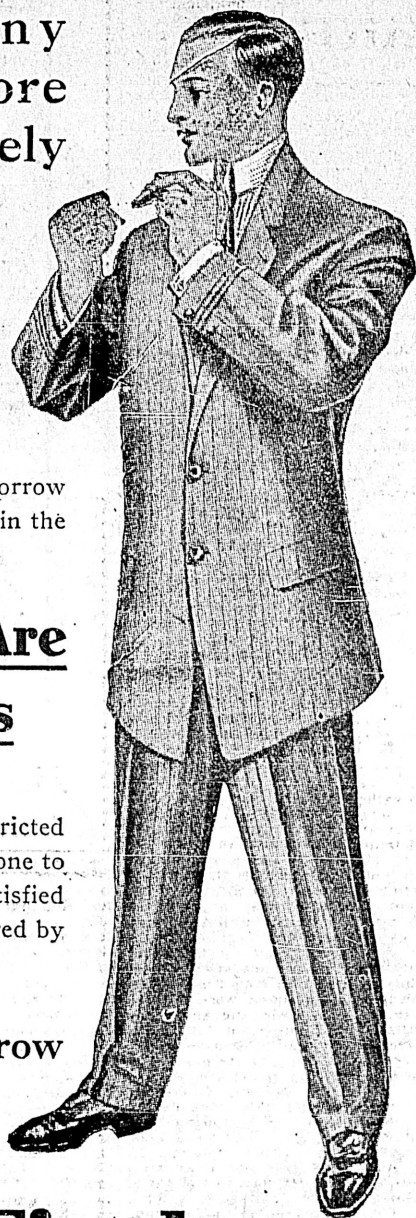
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EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES TANGLED

Catcher McMillan Plays With
Rochester When in Service
National Association—Four
Matches Declared Void

NEW YORK, June 23.—Four eastern
league baseball games were declared
illegal today by President Powers,
president of the league, who thus sus-
tains the protest of the Toronto club
that Shortstop McMillan, formerly of
the Brooklyn National League Club,
and now with Cincinnati, had no right
to play in them.

The games must not be played off on
the same grounds on which they were
first played. They are Montreal, at
Rochester, June 4, and Rochester, at
Toronto, June 6, 7 and 8. Montreal
won in the series played at Toronto;
Rochester two and Toronto one.

President Powers finds that McMil-
lan was still a member of the Brooklyn
team when Cincinnati made applica-
tion for his services on publication of
Brooklyn's intention to release him,
and therefore had no right to sign
with Rochester.

On assurance from President Eb-
bets, of the Brooklyn club, however,
that waivers for all other National
League clubs would be forthcoming,
Rochester paid \$1,500 for him and
signed him.

McMillan played four games for
Rochester and was promptly protested
by Toronto. On receipt of the protest
President Powers inquired of President
Lynch, of the National League, for the
facts and will be informed that Cin-
cinnati still claimed McMillan.

CUP CHALLENGERS TO LEAVE JULY 5

Montreal Lacrosse Club Will
Come Straight Through
From East for the Minto Cup
Matches

VANCOUVER, June 23.—Mr. James
Findlay, brother of the president of the
Montreal, has received word that the
cup challengers will leave the east
on July 5 and will come straight
through to Vancouver, where they will
remain during the competition on the
coast. They will be quartered at the
Badminton, and will train at Brockton
Point. The Montreals will have just
three days to get acclimatized before
the first game.

It is reported that Jimmy Gifford will
not be on the Westminster lineup on
Dominion Day in Vancouver. He will
marry Miss M. Robinson on June 28.
Jimmy Hogan and Shaun O'Reilly
arrived in the city this morning and
will be in uniform tonight.

Mr. Jesse William of North Van-
couver has presented a silver cup for
competition by junior clubs of the Am-
bitious City.

CANADIAN TEAM IN GREAT BRITAIN

Dominion Rifleman to Compete at
Bisley Left Some Days Ago—Of-
ficial List of Representatives

MONTREAL, June 23.—On the
steamer Tunisian, which has sailed
for Liverpool, were the members of
the Canadian rifle team to shoot at
Bisley. Those who will represent
the Dominion in the Imperial competi-
tions are as follows: Sergt. G. W.
Russell, G.G.F.G., Ottawa; Capt. W.
H. Forest, 6th D.C.O.R., Vancouver;
Sergt. D. McInnes, 19th A.M.R., Ed-
monton; Private W. J. Clifford, 10th
Royal Grenadiers, Toronto; Lance-
Corp. H. Whitehorn, 10th Royal
Grenadiers, Toronto; Capt. C. R.
Crowe, 30th Regiment, Guelph; Pri-
vate W. L. Latimer, 10th Royal Gren-
adiers, Toronto; Private F. Bibby,
77th Regiment, Dundas; Sergt. F. A.
Siddons, 78th Regiment, Truro; Capt.
W. Hart McInnes, 6th D.C.O.R., Van-
couver; Sergt. F. E. Morris, 46th
Regiment, Bowmanville; Staff-Sergt.
T. Mitchell, 13th Regiment, Hamil-
ton; H. Greet, 2nd Q.O.R., Toronto;
Sergt. E. A. Astwood, 90th Regiment,
Winnipeg; Gunner G. W. Sharp, 2nd
A.A., Montreal; Lieut. G. J. Rowe,
46th Regiment, Bowmanville; Lieut.
W. Drysdale, 11th Regiment, Montreal;
Private J. A. Steele, 30th Regiment,
Guelph; Col-Sergt. James Freeborn,
13th Regiment, Hamilton; Private D.
McKie, 30th Regiment, Guelph; Adju-
tant Major Hutchison, Ottawa; Com-
mandant, Major Edwards, St. John,
N.B.

OAK BAY TWELVE VS. NORTH WARDS

Intermediate Lacrosse Match
Will Be Played This Evening
at Royal Athletic Grounds—
Fast Game Expected

The Oak Bay Intermediate lacrosse
team played their first game of the sea-
son against the North Ward twelve at
the Royal Athletic Park this evening.

While the Bays have had very little
experience in the game they hope to
make up for this with their weight
and speed. As they have been prac-
ticing faithfully for the past four or
five weeks they will be in condition
to make the Wards play every minute
of the time.

The line-up will be as follows:
Goal, Market; coverpoint, Taylor;
point, Nason; 1st defence, Bartlett;
2nd defence, E. Macdonald; 3rd de-
fence, Locil; centre, Schneider (cap-
tain); 3rd home, C. Macdonald; 2nd

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PREPARATIONS FOR AVIATION MEET

Several Machines Now at
Montreal in Readiness for
Competitions Which Are to
Begin Tomorrow

MONTREAL, June 23.—The arrange-
ments are now practically complete for
the aviation week, which opens on Sat-
urday.

There are now on the course four
Wright machines, a Bleriot, owned by

James Carruthers, of Montreal, the
Baddeck machine of the McCurdy's of
Cape Breton and three Bleriot machines
owned by Count de Lesseps, the French
aviator who crossed the English chan-
nel and who will make his first flight
on this continent at this meeting.

The meeting is to be held a few miles
outside Montreal at Lakeside, and as
both the Grand Trunk and Canadian
Pacific railways run past the grounds,
on which a grand stand a quarter of a
mile long has been erected, there will
be no trouble experienced in handling
the large crowds expected.

"Sammy" Lorimer says that the
Victoria lacrosse team leaving tonight
for New Westminster is about the
strongest that can be mustered
here. If they win there's to be a big
celebration for it is a long time since
this city has turned a trick against
the Royal City in lacrosse on their
own grounds.

will be a hot day for Surplis is to oc-
cupy the box in the match with Bal-
lard.

SOLDIERS KEEN OVER ATHLETICS

Notes From Colonist Corres-
pondent at Fort Showing In-
terest Members Militia Are
Taking in Saturday's Sports

A few notes indicating the keen-
ness with which the soldiers are pre-
paring for the annual militia field
day of next Saturday afternoon when
commissioned, non-commissioned offi-
cers and men will be at home to their
citizen friends, and the band will
play enlivening airs have been for-
warded from camp headquarters by
the Colonist correspondent at the
front.

He says:
No. 3 Company is practising hard
with the tug-of-war rope in the hope
of taking the Gregory cup away from
No. 2. The latter's team has held
this trophy for quite a few years
now, and claim that it will take a
husky lot to pull it away from them.

When it comes to a 100 yard dash
you will have to go some to beat the
officers from the navy yard. You
may think because you belong to the
mule battery you can sprint but you
have another think coming Camp
Macaulay. (This evidently is aimed
at some aspirant for honors. For the
interpretation thereof inquiry will
have to be made at the canvas town.)

The track around the dry dock
looks like a merry-go-round these ev-
enings. No. 1 Company certainly
means to sing "we won the mile, we
won the half, we won the relay" et-
again this year.

Owing to the committee in charge
of the sports being so busy with the
preliminary "big gun" firing they are
behind in making up the prize list
but hope to have the same published
in tomorrow morning's paper.

The boy scouts are taking great
interest in the event and the whole
brigade will parade at the camp, it
will give the general public an ex-
cellent opportunity of seeing the boys
in their new uniforms. There is to
be a relay race of one mile (four boy
team), each troop to enter one team
and as there are seven troops a most
interesting race is assured.

THE LEAGUE STANDING

The standing of the teams
competing in the local amateur
baseball league follows:

Teams	P.	W.	L.	P.C.
Beacon Hill	4	4	0	1,000
Prides	4	3	1	750
Empress	3	1	2	333
K. of C.	2	0	2	000
Fifth Reg.	2	0	2	000
U.C.T.	1	0	1	000

TRAP SHOOTER MAKES RECORD

CHICAGO, June 23.—J. W.
Garrett of Colorado Springs es-
tablished a world's record for
trap shooting in the prelimi-
naries of the Grand American
Handicap tournament at the
Chicago Gun Club grounds. The
western professional broke 100
straight clay targets in the five
sweepstake events, one of which
was at ten double targets. This
is the first time in the history
of trap shooting tournaments
that this has been accomplish-
ed. Perfect scores have been
made before but not with one of
the events a double target con-
test.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Northwestern

Spokane	R. H. E.
Seattle	3 7 1
Batteries—Bonlin and Shea—Chin- ault and Carter.	1 5 1

Vancouver	R. H. E.
Tacoma	6 11 3
Batteries—Sugden and Lewis; Wall and Blakenship.	2 7 3

Coast

Los Angeles	R. H. E.
Oakland	3 6 2
San Francisco	1 9 2
Vernon	6 9 3

National

Portland	R. H. E.
Sacramento	11 10 0
San Francisco	3 12 3

American

Detroit	R. H. E.
St. Louis	10 13 2
Chicago	4 11 2
Cleveland	R. H. E.
Boston	6 9 2
Washington	4 10 2
New York	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	2 10 0
Baltimore	1 3 3
Pittsburgh	R. H. E.
St. Louis	12 12 1
Philadelphia	5 11 4

Eastern

Montreal	R. H. E.
Providence	2 7 3
Buffalo	1 7 3
Jersey City	R. H. E.
Newark	5 8 1
Rochester	0 1 4
Toronto	R. H. E.
Baltimore	3 10 0
Philadelphia	2 7 0
Pittsburgh	R. H. E.
St. Louis	7 10 2
Baltimore	2 12 7

TWELVE CHOSEN FOR BIG MATCH

Victoria Lacrosse Lads Who
Leave Tonight to Meet
Westminster in Provincial
Amateur League Game

After last night's lacrosse match at
North Ward Park between "A" and
"B" teams, which was won by the
former by a score of 5-4, the twelve which
will represent this city in the provincial
amateur league match with New West-
minster on the latter's grounds tomor-
row was selected. It is a strong ag-
gregation, one of the best that has
taken the field for Victoria for years,
and the boys are looking for victory.
Providing the Royal City team's
strength may be gauged by the show-
ing made against Vancouver last week
it seems a bright outlook for the Cap-
tains.

In this, the final preparatory test
match, the locals did splendidly, pleas-
ing members of the selection committee
immensely. Carrs, Young and Pett-
crew were especially prominent for the
winners, while the losers were well
aided by "Foot" Sargison, who unfor-
tunately will be unable to get away for
the big game, Johnson, Jenkins and
Humber. There were in the neigh-
hood of four hundred spectators and
the Fifth Regiment band added to the
pleasure of the occasion with a choice
musical programme.

The Victoria team follows: Goal,
Johnson; point, Clegg; 1st defence, Joe
Dukers; 2nd defence, S. O'Neil; 3rd
defence, Brynjolfson; centre, Lee;
Sweeney; 3rd home, Petticrew; 2nd
home, Carrs; 1st home, Kroeger or Mc-
Dougall; outside home, McDonald; in-
side home, Young, Reserve (defence)
Noel.

John Sweeney will accompany the
team, which leaves tonight, as man-
ager.

Vancouver is making a splendid
run for the pennant in the Northwest
league. If they continue those Ter-
minal City fans will literally lose their
heads.

JOHNSON WILL TURN WHITE

HONOLULU, June 23.—
Tommy Burns and Bill Lang of
Australia and Bob Fitzsimmons
arrived here on Tuesday en-
route to Reno to witness the
Jeffries-Johnson championship
fight on July 4. In discussing
the coming battle, Fitzsimmons
predicted that "Johnson will
turn white in the ring the first
time that Jeffries lands on
him."

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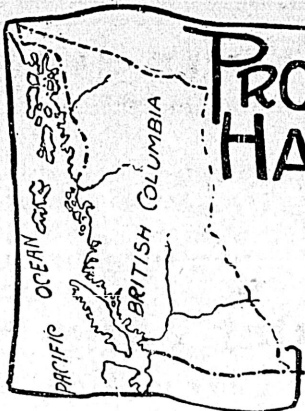
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PROVINCIAL HAPPENINGS

Prize-fighting is under the ban in Greenwood.

Rossland's Eagles have opened a handsome new hall.

A lodge of the Knights of Pythias is in formation at Merritt.

The B. C. E. R. Co. is expected to subscribe to the cost of reducing street grades in North Vancouver.

Vancouver's Detention Home at Tenth avenue and Pine street, is ready for use.

Petitions are being circulated in Ebouree for parks, sewerage and water services.

Jean Michael, an East Kootenay logger, was drowned last week through slipping under a boom.

W. S. Cameron, a Revelstoke carpenter, is suffering from a bad case of brain concussion as a result of falling from a ladder.

The president of the Grand Trunk Pacific has announced the intention of that railway company to erect a palatial hotel at Vancouver.

John Loftus received serious—perhaps fatal—injuries last week through a coal fall at the Middleboro mines squeezing him to the wall.

A special fireworks display on the island in the lake is to be the closing feature of Moyie's Dominion Day celebration.

Prince Rupert's city council has adopted the frontage tax system in connection with all street improvement work.

The Masonic Grand Lodge of British Columbia is this week in session at Cranbrook, where a handsome new temple was dedicated on Wednesday last.

Shiftboss H. W. Heldman and Head Carpenter Robert Brown, of the Granby mines, were last week presented with gold watches upon their severing their connection with the company.

Two more gold bricks have just been received at Nelson from the Sheep Creek camp, one being from the Nugget mine and the other from the Queen—the latter of \$9,000 value.

J. W. Stewart, of Princeton, was accidentally killed last week as a result of the overturning of the cart in which he was driving from the United Empire camp with a restless horse.

Great satisfaction is expressed on all hands at North Vancouver in consequence of the city's sewerage plans having obtained the approval of the Provincial Board of Health.

Retiring Manager D. J. McQuarrie, of the B. C. E. R. Co. at New Westminster, has been presented with a luxurious arm chair and a silver service by the Royal City employees of the company.

Fire last week destroyed two locomotives and the roundhouse of the Great Northern at Oroville. One of the locomotives destroyed was "old 930," which at various times had been responsible for the death of more than a dozen of its drivers.

J. Gregor, a Gailean employed in a C.P.R. work gang, died last Thursday as a result of injuries received at Cambie, where the gang were engaged lifting a water tank. One of the jacks slipped and the tank, falling sideways, pinned the unfortunate workman, crushing him badly.

Acting under instructions from the Dominion Superintendent of Forestry, R. H. Campbell, is paying an official visit to the provincial interior. The Dominion Government has now in the field in the railway belt a number of parties engaged in the classification of lands. When the reports of these parties are rendered the greater proportion of the valley lands in this belt will be properly classified as to their availability for agricultural purposes. A large area of the railway belt is suitable for cultivation, some of it being today fit for the plow while much of it will have to be irrigated before it can be made fruitful.

SAFEGUARD COAL MINES

(Continued From Page Two.)

These plans are to be accessible to the mine inspectors only, except, of course, where the owner of the abandoned mine grants permission to any person to see them. This amendment is suggested by the condition of affairs at South Wellington, and it is difficult to see why such plans should not be acceptable to the owners and operators of contiguous mines.

In sub-section 3 of section 75 the Inspector has to report to the Minister of mines when there is danger owing to a mine approaching abandoned workings, and either direct mining operations or issue directions governing such operations.

If the manager of the mine had access to the information in the possession of the inspector there would be no necessity for the inspector to assume the duties of the manager or even to shoulder the responsibilities which properly belong to the management of a mine.

The powers granted our inspector in section 75 are very comprehensive. For instance, if, in his opinion, he considers a dangerous condition of things to be existing, he may give notice in writing to the owner, agent or manager of the mine, and shall state in such notice the particulars in which he considers such mine or any part thereof, or any matter, thing or practice to be dangerous or defective, and require the same to be remedied; and unless the same is so remedied, the inspector shall also report the same to the minister of mines, and if in the opinion of the inspector such matter complained of be of such a nature that any delay in the remedying of such matter would be dangerous or tend to the bodily injury of any person, the inspector may order the closing of any mine or part of a mine, or he may order the stoppage of any or all work therein, or connected therewith, until the matter complained of shall be remedied, and in such case the inspector shall forthwith report to the minister of mines the fact of such stoppage and his reasons therefor.

General Plans

With regard to the general plans of a mine, each owner is obliged to deposit with the Chief Inspector of Mines every three months an up-to-date plan of the mine he is operating. Then, as to the plan which, for the convenience or safety of miners the old act ordered to be posted at some conspicuous place around the mine—the additional proviso is made that all "roads" which may be used as a means of egress shall be conspicuously marked in the mine.

In the general rule it is provided that not less than 100 cubic feet of air per minute shall be furnished for each man or boy and not less than 300 feet for each horse or mule, and as much more as the inspector shall direct. There is a further stringent provision in regard to the locking and unlocking of safety lamps. The lamps in the mine shall only be unlocked in the mine at a regularly appointed station and no person, unless he is appointed for the purpose of unlocking such safety lamps, shall have in his possession or use any key of contrivance for opening the lock of such safety lamp, nor shall such key or contrivance be taken away or used in any other portion of the mine than that such regularly appointed station or stations. This last proviso is unprecedentedly stringent, and its object is to prevent the promiscuous carrying of keys in the mine. If there are no keys the lamps cannot be opened, nor even the temptation be offered to open a lamp away from the proper station.

A radical amendment is introduced in regard to the use of explosives in a mine. In the old act certain regulations were prescribed for the carrying and use of explosives in mines in which inflammable gas had been found within three months. The new rule, no. 12, states that "in every mine to which the act applies explosives shall not be used, except in accordance with the regulations." In other words, the use of explosives is governed by regulations irrespective of whether inflammable gas has been found or not. A fresh proviso moreover is introduced with regard to mis-shots, and detonators are to be kept under the care of a specially appointed person. Also it is declared unlawful for anyone to take a naked light near an open case containing detonators or explosives, a provision suggested by the recent fatal accident at South Wellington.

There are provisions to protect men against overwinding or against a broken rope; another in regard to "ambulance boxes"; and still another of sanitary character. The latter is new, and anyone who has worked in a mine or knows anything of a mine, will admit the necessity of it.

Section 88 deals with the provision of mine rescue devices, the need for which was established by the explosion at Extension.

These are the principal amendments embodied in the new measure, and on which the department of mines is now seeking the views of miners and operators throughout the province. There is every reason to hope that the information Messrs. Tolmie and Shepherd will obtain in the course of their tour, will result in an agreement will be satisfactory to both operators and miners, and at the same time further safeguard the hazardous occupation of mining.

Romano Theatre

At the above theatre on Friday and Saturday there will be shown two very fine pictures. They are "The Mesh of the Net" and "Married on Horseback." In "The Mesh of the Net"—the old fisherman has a fault and a virtue; the fault is that he does not take kindly to any pranks at his expense and the virtue is that he has a most charming and piteous daughter. There are two fisher lads in love with her, but they are both regular lumps for devilry and the old man does not take kindly to their visits. The girl has no particular choice and neither one of them seem disposed to incur the ill-will of the other by winning her abruptly. It would probably go on like this forever if something did not happen. One day an itinerant photographer comes to the village and she has a tintype taken of herself. She shows it to her admirers and now ensues a battle of wits as to who is to get it. Unable to coax it from her one of the young men sees a chance to enter the house later while no one is in and sure enough he finds the photo in the pocket of her apron which hangs on the wall. When he emerges from the house he meets the father who tirades him about visits to the house and he finds it necessary to mop his brow. In drawing the handkerchief from his pocket he drops a roll of money which he only misses after reaching home. He is not a vicious man, but seeing that youth was in the house alone becomes suspicious and gets a constable. When they come upon the youth he refuses to be searched for fear they will find the photograph. It looks even to the girl as if he were guilty when a woman comes up to her to say that her child has found the money. This, of course, clears the suspect, and from this time there ensues the best battle that two warriors, and Cupid ever engaged in. Of course, somebody wins. This film is an imp and shows the acting of Miss Lawrence and Mr. King, the two leading actors of the Imp company, to perfection. The other picture, "Married on Horseback," is a Bison film depicting a very fine western drama. While Jess Lee, the daughter of a ranch owner, and Tom Rich, a cowboy, are desperately in love with each other, Col. Lee does not favor the suit. He is surprised at finding them in close embrace and orders Tom off the ranch and Jess into the house. They, however, are not to be so easily separated, and meet again. The

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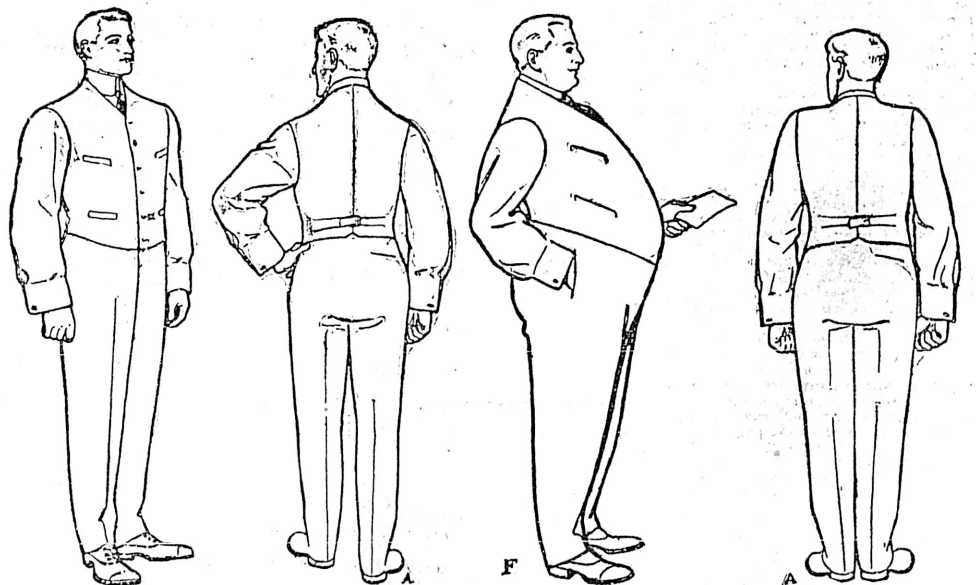
father comes upon the lovers and tries to part them. Jess glances up and this signal is understood by Tom, and ere long they are continuing their love scene, Jess leaning from the window and Tom standing on the roof of the ranch house. The father discovers them in this unusual position for lovers, and again orders Jess into the house. Instead of doing this, she jumps from the window onto Tom's horse and they gallop away. The father fearing to follow in a like manner, rushes through the house to the barn, but is told that they, together with a number of cowboys, have ridden off. Tom orders his companions to reverse a saddle while he dashes into a minister's house. The poor parson is made to sit on the horse and face the lovers who are coming behind, and although the speed is great they are happily married just as the father rides up. He, however, seeing that he has been outdone, forgives them, and they return with him to the ranch house. There is also a picture of the Norwegian army. The country is rapidly gaining a fine army whose manoeuvres are shown clearly in this picture. Also, the ticket of leave man (comic); the famous song hit, down in jungle town will be rendered on the Chronophone.

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OTTAWA, June 23.—The name of Lieutenant-Governor Gilson, of Ontario is among those of Canadians currently mentioned as likely to be the recipient of King's birthday honors.

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SECOND SEAM OF COAL IS STRUCK

Latest Discovery on Tumbo Island Proves That Nanaimo Series Extends Over an Unusually Extensive Area

A discovery of the first magnitude which establishes the fact, that the Nanaimo coal series is of an unusually extensive area has been made on Tumbo Island. A second seam of coal 58 feet below the eight-foot seam discovered a month ago, has been struck. On Wednesday last Mr. Stone of the firm of Messrs. Stone and Knight, diamond drill contractors, of Spokane, arrived in the city from Tumbo Island and informed Mr. A. E. Hepburn, the principal proprietor, of the discovery. Mr. Hepburn, accompanied by Mr. Blakemore, the mining expert, upon whose advice the drilling has been carried out, and Mr. Richard Smith, of England, who is interested in the property, left yesterday for Tumbo Island and verified the information which is of such an important character.

The importance of the discovery lies in the fact that it proves that the Nanaimo coal series exists at Tumbo. Throughout the whole of the mines of Vancouver Island the lower Douglas seam has been found some 60 feet below the upper Douglas. This distance is correct to within two feet in the case of the Tumbo Island measures. In consequence of the discovery a new contract has been awarded to Messrs. Stone and Knight to carry on the drilling operations still further. It is also likely that Mr. Hepburn will put down another bore hole on Saturna Island, where he owns 2,500 acres of coal lands.

As a result of the discoveries on Tumbo Island a considerable amount of prospecting work is being carried on at Mayne, Saturna and Galliano Islands. A local syndicate, in which the Tye Copper Company is largely interested, has secured a number of claims and intends starting a diamond drill hole on Galliano Island, opposite to Mayne Island. The operations to be carried out there will be under the direction of Mr. Bryant, the mining engineer of the Tye Copper Company.

PRESIDENT TAFT CARRIES POINT

(Continued From Page One.)

dent—Press reports of today indicate that you are using the people's money to prosecute labor in their efforts to better conditions. The seven hundred and ninety-eight delegates attending the twelfth biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen at St. Paul instruct me to protest against this unjust policy. (Signed) W. S. Carter, President Brotherhood.

"W. S. Carter, President Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, St. Paul, Minn.—Your despatch of June 22 received, in which you say press reports today indicate that I favor using the people's money to prosecute labor in their efforts to better conditions, and you protest against such a policy. I presume you refer to the proposition now before congress, that money appropriated for the fiscal year 1911 for the enforcement of the anti-trust laws and acts to regulate commerce shall not be expended in the prosecution of conspiracies in the nature of a boycott to increase wages, shorten hours, or better the condition of labor.

"The Supreme Court has decided that such a boycott is a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, and this proposal is an attempt to withhold the means of prosecution, under the law when it is violated by a particular class thus to be made privileged. I am entirely opposed to such class legislation. If it were proposed to amend the language of the Sherman anti-trust law so as to make it narrower in scope, that would present a proper question for consideration, but so long as the present anti-trust law remains upon the statute books, an attempt to modify its enforcement so as to render immune any particular class of citizens, rich or poor, employers or employees, is improper legislation, and in my judgment ought to be opposed by your brotherhood.

"The laboring man and trade unionist, if I understand aright, asks only equality before the law. Class legislation and unequal privileges, though expressly in his favor, will in the end work no benefit to him or to society.—(Signed) William H. Taft."

The information that the house had defeated the Hughes amendment was received "with indignation" by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, now in session here. It is regarded as a betrayal of the rights and interests of the workers of the country.

REFUSE AWARD

MONTREAL, June 23—The only development today in the railway situation was the decision of the men's committee not to accept the award of the conciliation committee in the case of the C.P.R. and Grand Trunk, the companies being notified to this effect. The decision is regarded as peculiar, inasmuch as the report of the conciliation board was signed by the men's representative, while the nominee of the companies refused to sign. The men explain their action by saying that their representative made concessions in order to obtain an agreement with the companies' representative, but failed to do so. No reply has yet been received from the railways.

OTTAWA, June 23—From information given out today it is improbable that the labor department will have anything further to do with the difficulties between the trainmen and railway companies. The minister of labor is not in the city, but it was stated that now the board of conciliation has made its award it is up to the interests involved to accept the findings or get together and conduct any further negotiations themselves. The department cannot interfere with the findings of the board.

Sale of School Lands

ROSTHERN, Sask., June 23—A big sale of school lands took place at Rosthern yesterday, over 500 bidders being present. One hundred and fifty-three parcels were sold, comprising 25,905 acres. The total proceeds from the sale were \$338,787. The average price per acre was \$14.17.

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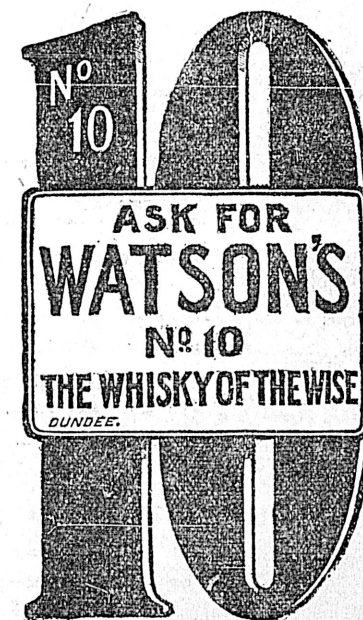
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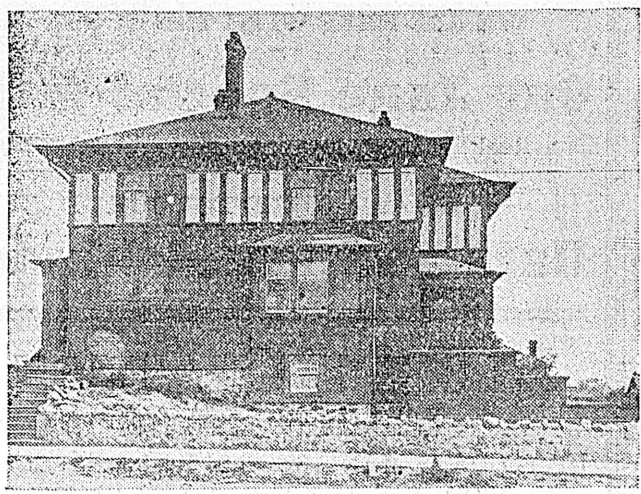


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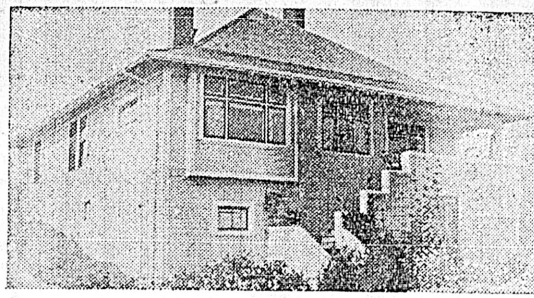
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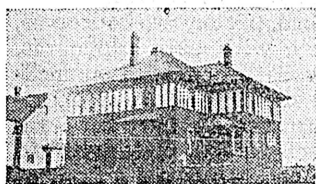
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LETTERS TO EDITOR

Sovereignty and Indian Title

Sir:—As to the question of sovereignty, there is no exception to be taken, except in so far as your remarks apply to the particular case in question—Indian Title. I do not think Lewis, Adam Smith or Grotius himself could have given a clearer exposition of the principles involved. Sovereignty would not be sovereignty if it could not "do everything that is not naturally impossible." Parliament is supreme. Sovereignty as vested in the provincial legislature might, by enactment transfer the title to all your property to me absolutely and irrevocably without compensation to you. I do not think, however, you would sit easy, as you think the Indian ought to do, because it being an act of sovereignty, you could not help yourself. I fancy I see you seeking a petition of right or memorializing the Dominion government for a disallowance of this particular act. Even as the beneficiary of sovereignty in that instance, I do not think I could find it my heart to blame you for taking one or both courses.

What sovereign power can do has little to do with what it ought to do. Sovereignty, as you say, may be unusual but right is the spirit of the constitution. The Sovereign, his ministers, his commons, his judges are all sworn to do right, and responsibility is fixed if they do wrong. But we are dealing now with a concrete case. The fact that the state has sovereign control over title in public lands is in no way incompatible with this condition that the inhabitants taken over by peaceful occupation have a beneficial interest—an equity in the land or something for which the land stands as security, viz., a place of abode and other rights formerly enjoyed, such as fishing and shooting, etc.

That equity, whatever it may be, is the Indian Title, and, according to well-established precedent in Canada and the United States, is surrendered by treaty in exchange for other rights and benefits. The very fact that the sovereign treats with a tribe or nation of Indians is the best proof I can give that he recognizes that tribe or nation as in a sense an "imperium in imperio."

The great Grotius, quoted by you, I think sustains my contention rather than yours. Individual possession is guaranteed upon the change of sovereignty, which, if true 300 years ago, when Grotius wrote, is doubly true now. As there was no individual ownership of land among Indians, the occupation of which was held tribally, the tribe would stand for the unit, instead of the individual, the individual interest being vested in the community, much as shareholders' interest in a joint company. Once for all, the contention is that the Indian Title must constitutionally be surrendered by treaty, unless the tribe voluntarily goes on a reserve and in-

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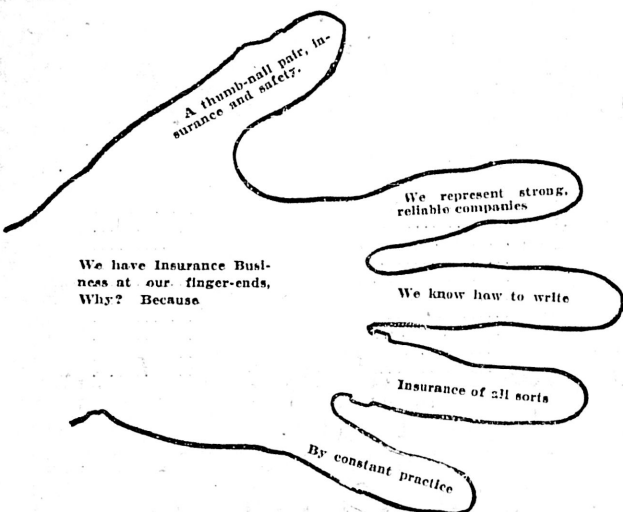
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DAMAGE REPORTS SEND UP VALUES

Wheat Markets Show Exceptional Strength on Reported Critical Condition of Crop in Northwestern States

CHICAGO, June 23.—Wheat showed decided strength for the distant months right up to the close, although it was a choppy market and prices were back and forth over a range of nearly a cent several times late in the session. The greatest strength of the day was displayed at the opening when offering in the pit were light, the volume of buying orders large, local shorts badly scared and covering. Back of this quick change of front on the part of the trade from the heavy selling and the break of yesterday, was the discovery that the general showers predicted for the spring wheat states did not appear on the map this morning. The Northwest had, as before, a few scattered showers but they appeared to be local and not sufficient to relieve the critical situation of the big northwest crop. There was another prediction of showers tonight or tomorrow. Regardless of the opposition to the advance the market showed fresh strength in the last hour. The trade is giving little attention to any other news except that from the northwest. Conservative people in the northwest trade report damage to the crop already serious and they are beginning to join in the talk of 25 and 50 per cent reduction in the crop promise.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	96 3/4	98 1/2	96 3/4	97 1/2
Sept.	96 3/4	98 1/2	96 3/4	97 1/2
Dec.	97	98 1/2	97	97 3/4
May	100	101 1/2	100	100 3/4
Corn—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	58 3/4	59 1/2	58 3/4	58 3/4
Sept.	60	60 1/2	59 3/4	60 1/4
Dec.	57 3/4	58 1/2	57 3/4	58 1/4
May	60	60 1/2	60	60 3/4
Oats—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	39 1/2	39 3/4	38 3/4	39 1/4
Sept.	39	39 1/2	38 3/4	38 3/4
Dec.	39	40 1/2	39	39 1/4
May	41 1/2	42	41 1/4	41 3/4
Port—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	23.10	23.67	23.00	23.62
Sept.	22.75	22.75	22.29	22.67
Lard—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	12.30	12.45	12.20	12.45
Sept.	12.32	12.50	12.25	12.47
Short Ribs—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	12.75	12.97	12.75	12.97
Sept.	12.35	12.57	12.35	12.57

MONTREAL STOCKS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	Bid.	Asked.
Amal. Asbestos	21	22
do pfd.	84 1/4	84 1/4
Bell Telephone	144	145
Can. Cotton Mills	37	41
Can. Cons. Rubber	95	115
do pfd.	115	115
Detroit United	64	55
Dom. Coal & Iron, pfd.	103 1/4	115
Dom. Coal & Steel, pfd.	103 1/4	115
Dom. Textile	69 3/4	75
do pfd.	103	104
Halifax Tramway	121 1/4	121 1/4
Illinois Traction pfd.	90	90
Lake of Woods	130	130
do pfd.	126	126
Laurentide Paper	141	145 1/2
Montreal Light & Power	133	134
Montreal Street Ry.	242 1/2	243
Nova Scotia Steel	81	81
Ottawa Light & Power	110	110
Pennamans, Ltd.	58 1/2	59 1/2
Quebec Railways	41 1/2	42
Rio de Janeiro Tram.	91	94
Shawinigan Water & Power	100	101
Toronto Railways	48	50

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	High.	Low.	Close
Allis-Chalmers	66 1/4	65 1/4	65 1/4
Amal. Copper	66 1/4	65 1/4	65 1/4
Amer. Car and Fdy.	63 1/4	63	62 3/4
Amer. Cot. Oil	44 1/4	44	43 3/4
Amer. Ice	28 1/4	28	27 3/4
Amer. Locom.	78 1/4	77 1/2	77
Amer. Smelting	137 1/4	136 3/4	136 3/4
Amer. Tel.	137 1/4	136 3/4	136 3/4
Amer. Woolen	31 1/4	31	30 3/4
do pfd.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Anaconda	40 3/4	40	39 1/2
Atlantic Coast	119	119	119
Atchafalpa	106 1/4	105 1/4	105 1/4
B. & O.	112 1/4	112	112 1/4
B. R. T.	80 1/4	79 1/2	79 1/2
C. P. R.	137 1/4	136 3/4	136 3/4
C. & O.	82 1/4	80	80 3/4
C. & A.	148 1/4	148	147
C. & N. W.	127 1/4	126 3/4	126 3/4
C. M. & St. P.	127 1/4	126 3/4	126 3/4
Central Leather	38 1/4	37 3/4	37 3/4
C. F. & I.	36 1/4	36 1/4	36
Colo. Sou.	57	57	57
Con. Gas	141 1/4	139 1/4	139 1/4
Corn Products	154	154	154
D. & R. G.	36 1/4	36	35 3/4
Distillers	28 1/4	27 1/2	27 1/2
Erie	28 1/4	27 1/2	27 1/2
Gen. Elec.	62	60 3/4	60 3/4
Gr. Nor. Ore. cfs.	133	132	131
Ill. Central	133	132	131
Inter-Metro.	197 1/4	197 1/4	197 1/4
Iowa Central	197 1/4	197 1/4	197 1/4
L. & N.	149	148	148 1/4
Mackay	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Men. Cen. cfs.	27	27	27
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	138 1/4	138 1/4	138 1/4
M. K. & T.	29	28 1/4	28 1/4
Mo. Pac.	68	67 1/2	67 1/2
Nat. Lead	75 1/4	75	74 3/4
N. Y. C.	118	117	117 1/4
N. Y. O. & W.	44 1/4	44	43 3/4
N. & W.	101 1/4	101	100 3/4
Nor. Pacific	127 1/4	126 3/4	126 3/4
Pennsy.	133 1/4	133	133
People's Gas	127 1/4	127 1/4	127 1/4
Pressed Steel	36 1/4	36 1/4	36
Reading	158 1/4	157 1/4	157 1/4
Rep. Steel	34 1/4	33	33 1/4
Rock Island	41 1/4	40 3/4	40 3/4
Sloss Steel	70	70	70
Sou. Pacific	124 1/4	123 3/4	124
Southern Ry.	26 1/4	26 1/4	26 1/4
Texas Pac.	30 1/4	30 1/4	30 1/4
Third Avenue	8 1/2	7 3/4	8
Tol. St. L. & W.	25	23 3/4	23
Twin City	111	111	111
Union Pac.	175	173 1/4	173 1/4
U. S. Steel	79 1/4	78 1/4	78 1/4
do pfd.	116 1/4	116 1/4	116 1/4
Utah Copper	44 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4
Wabash	20 1/4	19 1/2	19 1/2
Westinghouse	67	64 1/4	64 1/4

Wis. Central 60 3/4
Total sales—362,300.

SPOKANE MINING STOCKS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Today's closing bid prices were: Alameda, 4 1/4; B. C. Copper, 500; Can. Con. S. & R. 50; Copper King, 3 1/4; Gertie, 1; Granby Smelter, 35; Humming Bird, 8; Hypotheek, 4 1/4; Int. C. & C. 61; Lucky Calumet, 3; Lucky Int. 3; Mineral Farm, 1; Missoula Copper, 3 1/4; Monitor, 7 1/4; Nabob, 4 1/4; North Franklin, 5; Portland Canal, 31; Rambler Cariboo, 21; Rex, 5; Snowflake, 3; Snowstorm, 60; Stewart, 63; Wonder, 1 1/4.

SALES IN VANCOUVER.

10,000 Alberta Coal and Coke at 3c.
500 Portland Canal at 36 1/2 c.
500 Portland Canal at 36 1/2 c.
2000 Portland Canal at 36 c.
1500 Portland Canal at 35 1/2 c.
100 Portland Canal at 35 1/2 c.
100 Red Cliff at \$1.70.
100 Red Cliff at \$1.68 1/2.
500 American Can. Oil at 17 1/2 c.

METAL MARKETS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
London copper close; spots 55 2-6, up 5; sales 400 tons. Futures, 55 16-3, up 3-8; sales 800 tons.
Consols, 82 1/2, advance 1/4, for account 82 7-16, advance 1/4.
London silver, 24 1/4, New York silver, 53 1/2, Mexican Dollars, 44c.
Standard copper 12 1/4 @ 12 1/2.
Tin, 32.60 @ 4.50.
Spelter, 5.15 @ 5.50.

NEW YORK COTTON.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Jan.	12.20	12.23	12.18	12.21
March	12.18	12.19	12.18	12.22
June	15.01	15.01	15.01	15.01
July	15.00	15.07	14.97	15.02
Aug.	14.65	14.76	14.60	14.71
Sept.	13.13	13.17	13.12	13.15
Oct.	12.47	12.50	12.42	12.46
Nov.	12.32	12.32	12.32	12.32
Dec.	12.27	12.29	12.22	12.26

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	Stock—	Bid.	Asked.
Alberta Can. Oil08	..
American Can. Oil17	..
Can. Northwest Oil30	..
Alberta Coal & Coke02	.04
Diamond Vale C. & C.07	..
Int. C. & C.67	.68
Nicola Valley C. & C.75	..
Royal Collieries20	.23
Western Coal and C.	1.75	..
B. C. Per. Loan	135.00	..
Dom. Trust Co.'s98 1/2	105.00
Gr. West Per.	116.00	123.00
Pacific Whaling Co.45	.57
Pacific Whaling Pref.70	.72
Stewart Land20	.29
S. A. Scrip	700.00	..
Bitter Creek85	..
Bear River Canyon20	.25
Glacier Creek32	.34
Main Reef32	.35
O. K. Fraction30	..
Portland Canal35	.36
Portland Wonder25	..
Red Cliffs	1.75.00	..
Stewart M. & D.50	..
Van-Portland Canals90	100.00
Nugget Gold83	..
Lasqueti02	.01
Lucky Calumet60	.68
Snowstorm60	.68
Rambler Cariboo25	.30

Sales
1000 Alberta coal at 3c.
500 International coal at 67c.
500 International coal at 67 1/2 c.
1000 Main Ref. at 30c.
500 Portland Canal at 36c.
20 Stewart Mining at \$5.90.

THE LOCAL MARKETS

Flour.	Price
Royal Household, a bag	\$ 1.80
Lake of the Woods, a bag	1.80
Royal Standard, a bag	1.75
Do. Rose, per sack	1.80
Robin Hood, per sack	1.80
Calgary, a bag	1.85
Do. per 100 lbs.	1.80
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.70
Three Star, per sack	1.70
Moffet's Best, per bag	1.80
Feedstuffs.	Price
Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Shorts, per 100 lbs.	1.60
Middlings, per 100 lbs.	1.70
Oats, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.	1.55
Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.75
Crushed Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.85
Chop Feed, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.	2.00
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.	2.25
Feed, Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.	2.25
Hay, Fraser River, per ton	23.00 @ 25.00
Hay, grass	19.00
Eggs.	Price
Fresh Island, per dozen	.40
Best Eggs, per dozen	.30
Cheese.	Price
Canadian, per lb.	.20
Cheddar, each	.10
Cream, local, each	.10
Butter.	Price
Alberta, per lb.	.35
Best Dairy	.35 @ .30
Victoria Creamery, per lb.	.45
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	.45
Comox Creamery, per lb.	.40
Salt Spring Is. Creamery, lb.	.45
Meats.	Price
Beef, per lb.	.08 @ .20
Mutton, per lb.	.16 @ .30
Mutton, Australian	.16 @ .20
Vocal, dressed, per lb.	.16 @ .20
Goose, dressed, per lb.	.20 @ .24
Chicken, per lb.	.16 @ .20
Chickens, per lb., live weight.	.12 1/2 @ .16
Ducks, dressed, per lb.	.20 @ .25
Lamb, per lb.	.18 @ .25
Pork	.16 @ .20
Fruit.	Price
Figs, table, per lb.	.30
Lemons, per dozen	.30 @ .35
Oranges, per dozen	.30 @ .35
Bananas	.35 @ .40

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The whole of his valuable

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Comprising over sixty of the best grade Durham and Holstein milch cows in the province, together with horses, milk carts, cans and other paraphernalia, appertaining to, the milk business.

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The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

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Lumber for Plank Roadway for

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Sealed bids will be received by the city council up to July 1, 1910, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Bids for supplying lumber for plank roadway for the city of Prince Rupert." Said bids shall be for supplying 500,000 feet B. M. of spruce lumber in sizes and lengths as required for the construction of plank roadways of varying lengths and elevations; also 500,000 feet B. M. of 2 inch spruce plank, 8 inches, 10 inches or 12 inches in width, and standard lengths, as required; also 500,000 feet B. M. of 3 inch fir plank, 8 inches, 10 inches or 12 inches in width and standard lengths, as required. All lumber to be manufactured from sound stock, free from large, loose or unsound knots, and other defects which would render the same unfit for the purpose for which it is required. The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

ERNEST A. WOODS, City Clerk.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve established over those portions of Lot 178, Queen Charlotte District, by reason of the surrender of said portions out of special timber licenses Nos. 31949 and 31948, surveyed respectively as Lots 633 and 317, Queen Charlotte District, is cancelled for the purpose of effecting a sale of said Lot 178, Queen Charlotte District, comprising 36 acres, more or less, to the Pacific Coast Fisheries, Limited.

ROBT. A. RENWICK, Deputy Commissioner of Lands.

Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., April 19th, 1910.

The Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

INCORPORATED 1890.

The annual meeting of the donors and subscribers to the institution will be held in the City Hall, Victoria, on Wednesday, 29th June, at 4 o'clock p.m.

Business—Receiving the annual report of the directors, the treasurer's statement for the year ending 31st May, 1910, and the election of the directors. The four following directors retire but are eligible for re-election: Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Messrs. H. E. Newton, A. C. Flummeit, Alexander Wilson.

Donors and subscribers can vote for four (4) members only. The city council nominate five (5), the provincial government three (3), and the French Benevolent Society three (3), making a total of fifteen directors.

All donors of money \$50 and upwards, and annual subscribers of \$5 and upwards are eligible to vote for the election of directors.

A. W. MORTON, Sec'y. Victoria, 18th June 1910.

Mining Department.

EDITED BY

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MEMBER CANADIAN MINING INSTITUTE, GREENWICH, ENGLAND
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The Prospector's Notes

Much unnecessary labor and expense could be avoided in the duplication of field work, and great benefit would result if prospectors and others exploring new territory or even territory already covered would keep accurate notes on what they see. Such notes are very likely to prove of future value to their maker and save him retracing his steps to get information which he failed to record when he had the opportunity.

A record of the topography of a region, the mountains, rock formations, the nature and location of mineral showings or indications found, of the timber and water resources, transportation possibilities, etc., would give opportunity to make a general study of the region covered after the trip is over, and serve as a guide in future prospecting, or in the exploitation of properties located.

Memory is apt to be a treacherous note book and seldom can be trusted to carry a large amount of detail. It further has the disadvantage that the notes taken are available only to the man who took them unless he happens to be on hand to furnish them. The value of any exploration lies in the information gained. Even if the prospector is out purely for his own information he should keep his notes as carefully as if he expected to make a report from them. He may thus be able to refresh his memory from them and he will be prepared, should the occasion arise, to supply details should he desire to interest capital in properties that he has located.

Reported Gold Strike at Portland Canal.

Although it is of course necessary to wait for fuller and more complete information in regard to the reported strike of a large body of free-milling gold ore at Portland Canal, some such event has been expected for some time by those who have carefully followed the showings made in the development of the more advanced properties in that camp; notably those of the Portland Canal Mining Company and the Stewart Mining and Development Company. As depth

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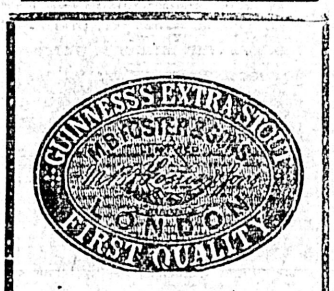
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has been attained on these properties there has been a notable increase in the gold contents of the ores, and the experience gained from similar mines in other parts of this continent has led several men to express their opinion that free gold, either in the form of a large reef or ledge, or in the form of numerous rich pockets, would sooner or later be discovered in the district. That the entire outcrop, which is reported to extend for many miles in length, should be most carefully tested, goes without saying and while it would be rash to endorse to the full the very optimistic views which have been expressed in the daily papers, it will nevertheless be hoped that there is a solid foundation of truth in a report whose accuracy will add so much to what is already becoming the best known mining camp on the Pacific coast. Until careful development work has proved the continuity of the surface showings judgment must be reserved since the richness of the outcroppings of any ore body will not be taken by any experienced man as criterion of what may be found a few feet lower down.



Sole Agents
For British Columbia.

PROVINCIAL TAXES

Special Notice to Taxpayers

TAXPAYERS are hereby reminded that **Thursday, 30th June, 1910, is the last day** on which taxes must be paid to the collector in order to be allowed a discount. By an amendment to the Assessment Act passed after all the tax notices were issued an alteration of the rate of discount is permitted, namely 25 per cent. discount is allowed on improved real property, personal property and income for the current year in place of the 10 per cent shown on the notices. When sending your tax to the collector do not deduct from the net amount shown on Form No. 9 an additional 15 per cent, but deduct only 25 per cent from the total taxes on improved real property, personal property and income. There is no alteration on the discount of ten per cent on wild land, coal land and timber land. See that the correct amount is sent early, so that unnecessary correspondence may be avoided. No discount is allowed on arrears.

E. E. LEASON, Assessor and Collector, Victoria Assessment District. Victoria, 1st June, 1910.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Pursuant to an order issued out of the county court of Vancouver in the suit of A. E. Hinda and K. Yusuda vs. George P. Rawling, I will on Wednesday, June 29, 1910, at 3 p. m. at my office at the court house, Vancouver, offer by sale by public auction the following lands: Lot Three hundred and seventy two (372) Sayward District. The only judgment registered against the said lands is the one under which this sale will be held which judgment was registered on July 9, 1907, and which is for the sum of \$661.40.

JAS. D. HALL, Sheriff.

Tenders Victoria Property

In the matter of the estate of Thomas John Partridge deceased.

Tenders (whole or part) will be received by the undersigned up to the 6th day of July, 1910, for the purchase of the following:

Street. Lot. Block. Homes.

Caldonia avenue 735 P. No. 718-732; two two-story, 7 rooms

Quadra street 4 5a9 No. 1709; one two story 8 rooms.

Fisguard street 6 5a9 No. 924; one one story 5 rooms.

Quadra street 2 5a9

Cecil Road 23 29 & 12

Gorge Road 31 29 & 12

Boleski Road 7 20

ins cash. The highest or any tender not necessary accepted. For other particulars apply to W. G. CAMERON, Executor for the Estate of T. J. Partridge, deceased, 518 Johnson street.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement works, authorized by Bylaw, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Simcoe street from Montreal street to St. Lawrence street; and that the said work shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the council in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of said bylaw, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the council;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the

cost of such improvement as the council may by bylaw in that behalf regulate and determine.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 9th, 1910.

NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, having determined that it is desirable;

1. To grade and macadamize Turner street between Esquimalt road and David street, and to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said street;

2. To grade, drain and macadamize with bitumen, Camosun street between Pandora avenue and Grant street, and construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said street with curbs and gutters, including cost of lateral sewer surface drain, and water connections;

3. To grade and drain and pave with asphalt, McKenzie street, between Linden avenue and Moss street, and construct permanent sidewalks with curbs, gutters and boulevards including maintenance) on both sides of said street; also lateral water and sewer connections, and to expropriate the necessary land to continue said street a uniform width of 66 feet to Linden avenue; and that the said work shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement Gen-

eral Bylaw, and amendments thereto, and the city engineer and city assessor having reported to the council in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of said bylaw, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the city engineer and city assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the council;

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C. June 23, 1910.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE, that I, S. C. Cuffin, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria, B. C., at the next sitting thereof, for a transfer of the liquor license now held by me in respect of the Albion saloon, situate on the corner of Yates street and Waddington Alley, Victoria, B. C., to D. McDonald and Alexander McLean.

Dated this 26th day of May, 1910.
S. C. CUFFIN, Applicant.

NOTICE

"NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Victoria Dock Company, Limited, having its registered office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of works proposed to be constructed in the waters of the Victoria harbor, being the lands situated lying and being in the city of Victoria aforesaid, and known, numbered and described as lot five, of block seventy, Victoria City, according to the official map thereof, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and a description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and

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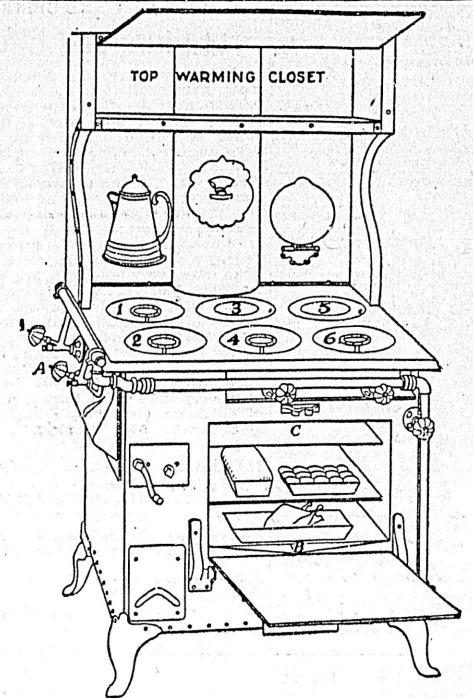
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Boys' Norfolk and Double-Breasted Two-Piece Suits, To- day, \$2.75. Regu- larly Worth, \$3.75



Boys' Clothes that are fit to wear on any occasion, that's what these suits represent. They even represent more, they represent values which are seldom offered. They combine fine workmanship and excellent quality materials, consisting of tweeds and fancy worsteds with fancy pockets and cuffs. These we have been usually selling at \$3.75. In order to make Today a busy day, we are placing them on sale Today at\$2.75



Men's Suits, Usual \$12.50, Today, Choose One at \$10.00

When speaking of our Men's Suit Department, it may be well to note that a larger, or better assorted stock could not be found. Our immense purchasing power enables us to offer our customers many values and advantages unobtainable elsewhere. Take, for instance, these \$10.00 values. The regular selling price is considered low by all judges of good clothing, but at today's price they are really extraordinary good value. Per suit\$10.00

True Economy in Boys' Shoes, To- day, at per Pair, \$1.75

Buying Boys' Shoes here today means true economy in every sense of the word. They are exceptionally well made and excellent value. Every mother who has half an eye to economy should be here Today. A specially low price is set on each pair of\$1.75



Pop. Copyright Books, Reg. \$1.50 for 50c

"Battle of the Strong," "Seats of the Mighty," "Weavers," "Right of Way"—By Parker50c
Adventures of Captain Kettle, by Cutcliffe Hyne. The Brass Bowl, by Louis Joseph Vance.
Adventures of Gerard, by A. Conan Doyle. The Brethren, by H. Rider Haggard.
Adventures of Sherlock Holmes, by A. Conan Doyle. By Snare of Love, by Arthur W. Marchmont.
Alton of Somasco, by Harold Bindloss. By Wit of Woman, by Arthur W. Marchmont.
Arms and the Woman, by Harold McGrath. Captain in the Ranks, by George Cary Eggleston.
Artemus Ward's Works, extra illustrated. Cardigan, by Robert W. Chambers.
At the Mercy of Tiberius, by Augusta Evans Wilson. Casting Away of Mrs. Lecks and Mrs. Aleshine, by Frank R. Stockton.
The Battle ground, by Ellen Glasgow. Cecelia's Lovers, by Amelia E. Barr.
The Belle of Bowling Green, by Amelia E. Barr. The Circle, by Katherine Cecil Thurston—author of "The Masquerader," "The Gambler."
Ben Blair, by Will Lillibridge. Rob, Son of Battle, by Alfred Olivant. Conquest of Canaan, by Booth Tarkington.
Bob Hampton of Placer, by Randall Parrish. A Courier of Fortune, by Arthur W. Marchmont.
Cap'n Eri, by Joseph C. Lincoln.

Today's Sale of Corsets at 50c, 75c, \$1.25 and \$2.90

Today we intend clearing out a duplicated order of Corsets which in some way was shipped us. In order to make this clearance the prices are kept down so low that it is really surprising. These are being shown in our Government Street window. They are medium models, while included among them are a number of La Diva Reducing Corsets, the whole shipment being D. & A. make.

No. 449, in sizes 18 to 25. Today50c
No. 540, in sizes 18 to 30. Today75c
No. 483, in sizes 18 to 26. Today\$1.25
No. 609, in sizes 21 to 30 and 35 to 36, a Diva Reducing. Today\$2.90

Beautiful Quality All-Silk Taffeta Ribbons

Specially adapted for millinery purposes and hair ribbons. Colors are pink, sky, Nile, lilac, rose, Saxe blue, resida, champagne, French grey, Tuscans, tans, browns, navy blues, greens, prunelle, black, cream and white. This is a good stiff taffeta and is 5/4 inches wide. Price, per yard35c

Dutch Collars and Jabots

Are in big demand. We have a full range of all the latest ideas appertaining to dainty neckwear, and all our own exclusive designs.

Dutch Collars of fine white lawn, trimmed lace and lace medallions, 35c and25c
Dutch Collars of fine quality lawn, scalloped edges, with pretty eyelet embroidery, \$1.00 and75c
Dutch Collars of Persian lawn, daintily embroidered and finished with baby Irish around edging\$1.00
Fancy Battenburg Lace and Lawn Dutch Collars, very dainty designs. Each, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c and50c
Our Stock of Jabots was never more complete than it is today. We have them in lace, lawn and fancy Battenburg, in all the latest designs. Each, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 35c and25c

Three Big Leaders in Ladies' Hose for Today and Saturday

Ladies' Cotton Hose, full fashioned, high spliced ankle, double soles. Colors are oxblood, sky, navy blue, helio, white, tan and black. All sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Pair25c
Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose, nice, soft, silky finish, plain and lace ankles, fast colors, in tan, black and white. Per pair35c
Ladies' Gauze Lisle Thread Hose, in pretty lace designs, finished with double heels and toes. Colors are black, tan and white. Pair50c

Black Veilings Priced at 35c yd.

Net Veiling, in plain and fancy mesh, some very dainty designs in the finest mesh. They are from 18 inches to 27 inches wide, and extraordinary values at, each35c

Women's Gloves Specially Priced

Women's Canvas Gloves, with gauntlet, very useful for housework and gardening. 2 pairs for25c
Women's Chamois Gloves, for all gardening and household purposes. Pair35c
The Ladies' Favorite Household Glove of soft, pliable red rubber. In all sizes. Pair85c



Stylish Skirts for Women, Today, at \$4.90 Values to \$9.00

A few days ago we advertised a similar line of Skirts at \$4.90, and they certainly sold quick. In fact we were rushed all day. Now here is another lot which we are placing on sale today at the same price. The usual prices of these go as high as \$9.00. These are in all colors, including the season's most pronounced materials. Special today\$4.90

New Hair Rolls

44The Non-Collapse Pompadour Hair Rolls, lightest, sanitary, clean and cool, in all shades of brown. 12-in., each, 15c; 18-in., each, 25c; 24-in., each, 35c

Secretaire Desk, Special, Today, \$4.90

Secretaire Desk, in surfaced quarter cut oak, fitted with pigeon holes for stationery. Has top book shelf, also shelf beneath, and one full length drawer. Strongly built and best finish. Special\$4.90
Book Case, in surfaced oak, golden finish, fitted with 3 shelves and brass rod for curtain. Special. \$4.90

Special Sale of Wall Papers on Today, at 10c per Roll

Our Wall Paper Department will afford every opportunity for saving money today. We are placing on sale 1,000 rolls, wall, ceiling and border to match. These come in a large range of designs and colorings, suitable for parlor, dining room, bedroom, in fact every room in the house can be made beautiful on a very small outlay. It will pay you to inspect our Broad Street windows. Special, per single roll, 10c

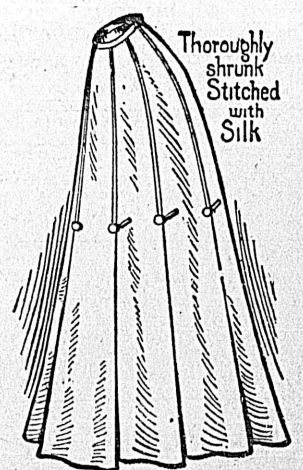
Axminster and Wilton Carpets.

Reg. \$2.25 for \$1.15

We would strongly advise purchasing your Carpet needs here Today, for the simple reason is that we believe, and are in fact satisfied that these values are the best you'll find hereabouts. They are in a number of very excellent and pretty designs, floral, conventional and Oriental. These we usually sell at \$2.25. Today we are making a special offer at, per yard\$1.15

Belts for Today

Patent Leather Belts, moire-lined, gun metal buckles, each35c
Belts of Fancy Silk Webbing, all shades, each25c
Canvas Belts, embroidered in silk, light and dark buckles, each15c



Awava Hair Curler and Waver, the only curler made with human hair, will not break or damage the hair. Per box of 5 curlers25c
Tolman's Featherweight Hair Wavers, waves the hair as well as a first class dresser. Per card of 420c
Magic "Magnetic Steel" Curler, waves and curls the hair in a few minutes without heat, while you are dressing or traveling anywhere, anytime. Per card of 2 curlers10c
Soft Rubber Hair Curlers, in brown and black. Card 25c
Collar Supporters, in casing, detachable and washable. Sizes 2 1/4, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/4. Per card of 37 1/2c
Mono Invisible Neckwear Supports, with silk ends. Card of 410c

Onandoff Dress Shields, for Summer dresses, self-adjusting, washable. Size 2, per pair25c
Size 3, per pair30c
Size 4, per pair35c
Corset Clasps, saten covered, black, white or drab. Per pair10c
Sphinx Hook and Eye. White size 4, black size 0, in these two lines only. Card2c
Basting Thread, sizes 36 and 40, in white only, 1,000 yards to a spool. Per spool10c
J. & P. Coats' 6 cord 200 yard Spools, white and black, all sizes. Six spools for25c